



Exhibitor Handbook

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Livestock Superintendent -----	Lin Wilson – Canyon Lake, Texas
Livestock Superintendent -----	Dr. Chester Fehlis – College Station, Texas
Assistant Livestock Superintendent -----	John Harper – League City, Texas
Open Breeding Beef, Specialty, and Youth Cattle -----	James Roden – Denton, Texas
Open Dairy Cattle -----	Dr. Glenn Holub – College Station, Texas
Open Breeding Sheep -----	Walter Gerhart – Winters, Texas
Open Boer Goat -----	Glen Avriett – New Braunfels, Texas
Open Dairy Goat -----	Scott Horner – Brenham, Texas
Junior Market Steer -----	Dr. Chris Skaggs – College Station, Texas
Junior Market Lamb -----	Scott Durham – San Angelo, Texas
Junior Market Barrow -----	William Kulow – Needville, Texas
Junior Market Broiler -----	Dale Hyatt – College Station, Texas
Junior Market Turkey -----	Dale Hyatt – College Station, Texas
Junior Market Goat -----	Marvin Ensor – San Angelo, Texas
Junior Commercial Steer -----	Al Mahalitc – Eagle Lake, Texas
Junior Breeding Beef Heifer and Beef Scramble Heifer -----	Steve Frazee – Wolfforth, Texas
Junior Breeding Sheep -----	Walter Gerhardt – Winters, Texas
Junior Breeding Gilt -----	Stanley Young – Lubbock, Texas
Junior Dairy Cattle -----	Dr. Glenn Holub – College Station, Texas
Judging Contests	
4-H/FFA Dairy -----	Dr. Glenn Holub – College Station, Texas
4-H/FFA Floriculture -----	Elyse Rodewald – Nacogdoches, Texas
4-H/FFA Horse -----	Dr. Pete Gibbs – College Station, Texas
4-H/FFA Livestock -----	Dr. Chris Boleman – College Station, Texas
4-H/FFA Meat -----	James Henderson – Childress, Texas
4-H/FFA Nursery Landscape -----	Dr. Jeff Adkins – Nacogdoches, Texas
4-H/FFA Poultry -----	Dale Hyatt – College Station, Texas
4-H/FFA Range and Pasture Plant ID -----	Dr. Barron Rector – College Station, Texas

4-H/FFA Wildlife Habitat Evaluation

WHEP -----	Dr. Larry Hysmith – College Station, Texas
CDE -----	Dr. Joe Dettling - College Station, Texas
4-H/FFA Wool -----	Dr. Brian May - San Angelo, Texas
Intercollegiate Livestock -----	Dr. Chris Skaggs - College Station, Texas
Intercollegiate Wool & Mohair -----	Dr. Brian May - San Angelo, Texas
Intercollegiate Meat -----	Dr. Davey Griffin - College Station, Texas
Agricultural Mechanics -----	Dr. Billy Harrell - Huntsville, Texas
Tractor Technician -----	Dr. Billy Harrell - Huntsville, Texas

Livestock Show Judges

Open Breeding Beef Cattle

Angus-----	Quintin Smith – Lebanon, TN
Beefmaster-----	Randy Daniel - GA
Braford -----	Cheramie Viator – Kiowa, CO
Brahman-----	Randall Tipp – Sealy, TX
International Brangus-----	Christy Collins – Oklahoma City, OK
Braunvieh-----	Dean Fuchs – Columbus, TX
Charolais -----	Brant Poe – Brenham, TX
Hereford/Polled Hereford -----	Jay Wright – Morgan, TX
Limousin -----	Jake Franke – Bryan, TX
Maine-Anjou -----	Jay Wright – Morgan, TX
Red Angus -----	Paul Maulsby – College Station, TX
American Red Brangus -----	Jim Williams - Boling, TX
Santa Gertrudis -----	Charlie Bradbury – Huntsville, TX
Shorthorn-----	Terri Barber – Austin, TX
Simbrah-----	Tim Ishee – Laurel, MS
Simmental-----	TBD

Open Specialty Cattle

Dexter -----	Lee Standley – Weatherford, TX
Lowline Angus-----	Jim Williams – Boling, TX
Miniature Hereford -----	Levi Douglas – College Station, TX
Miniature Zebu -----	Robbie Sands – Alachua, FL
Texas Longhorn -----	TBD

Youth Cattle

Youth Dexter-----	TBD
Youth Longhorn-----	Gary Bowdoin – Crawford, TX

Open Dairy Cattle ----- Curtis Day – Burnsville, MN

Open Breeding Sheep ----- Ray Hinton – Monte Vista, CO

Boer Goat

Open -----	Charles Turner – Dublin, TX
Youth-----	Dr. Randy Harp – Stephenville, TX

Dairy Goat

Open -----	Dan Laney – Los Lunas, NM
Youth-----	Annette Maze – Spicewood, TX

Llama and Alpaca

Open Llama & Alpaca-----	Deb Yeagle – Lindsey, OH
-----	Linda Hayes – Glenwood Springs, CO
Youth Llama & Alpaca -----	Deb Yeagle – Lindsey, OH
-----	Linda Hayes – Glenwood Springs, CO

Open Cavy-----TBD

Open & Youth Breeding Rabbits -----TBD

Youth Cavy -----TBD

-----TBD

-----TBD

Youth Meat Pen Rabbits -----TBD

Junior Market Steer-----Troy Thomas, Harrold, SD

Junior Market Lamb -----	Brad Angus, Joliet, IL
Junior Market Barrow -----	Grant Grebner, Washburn, IL
-----	Brian Arnold, Lafayette, IL
Junior Market Broiler (Cockerels) -----	Dustin Morgenroth, St. Hedwig, TX
Junior Market Broiler (Pullets) -----	Jason Lee, Bryan, TX
Junior Market Turkey (Hens) -----	Mike Vader, Brenham, TX
Junior Market Turkey (Toms) -----	Dennis Ellebracht, Harper, TX
Junior Market Goat -----	Reid Stultz, San Angelo, TX
Junior Commercial Steer Graders -----	TBD
-----	TBD
-----	TBD

Junior Breeding Beef Heifer

Angus-----	Dr. Dan Shike, Urbana, IL
Beefmaster-----	Blake Bloomberg, Stillwater, OK
Brahman-----	Mark McClintock, San Angelo, TX
Brangus-----	Blake Bloomberg, Stillwater, OK
Charolais -----	Blake Bloomberg, Stillwater, OK
Hereford -----	Blake Bloomberg, Stillwater, OK
Limousin -----	Mark McClintock, San Angelo, TX
Maine-Anjou -----	Blake Bloomberg, Stillwater, OK
Polled Hereford -----	Blake Bloomberg, Stillwater, OK
Red Angus -----	Dr. Dan Shike, Urbana, IL
Red Brangus-----	Dr. Dan Shike, Urbana, IL
Santa Gertrudis -----	Mark McClintock, San Angelo, TX
Shorthorn-----	Dr. Dan Shike, Urbana, IL
Simbrah-----	Dr. Dan Shike, Urbana, IL
Simmental-----	Dr. Dan Shike, Urbana, IL
Other Registered Breeds -----	Mark McClintock, San Angelo, TX
American Registered Breeds -----	Mark McClintock, San Angelo, TX

Beef Scramble Heifer


American -----	Brant Poe – Brenham, TX
British and European -----	Wes Hudson – Harrison, AR

Junior Breeding Sheep ----- Rick Klampe – Albany, OR

Junior Breeding Gilt-----Brian Anderson – Caney, KS

Junior Dairy Cattle ----- Chris Lahmers– Marysville, OH

Livestock Show Entry Deadlines

- Dec. 1:** Junior Market Steer, Junior Market Lamb, Junior Market Goat, Junior Market Barrow, Junior Market Broilers, Junior Market Turkey, Junior Commercial Steer, Junior Breeding Beef Heifer, Junior Beef Scramble Heifer, Junior Dairy Cattle, Junior Breeding Sheep, Junior Breeding Gilt, Agricultural Mechanics Project Show, Public Speaking Entries and 4-H and FFA Judging Contests
- Dec. 2 - 15:** Junior Show Late Entry – \$250 fee per chapter or county
- Dec. 15:** Open Youth Meat Pen Rabbits (NO LATE ENTRY)
-  **Dec. 16 until closing of check-in for the individual species** Junior Show Extra Late Entry – \$500 fee per entry (Payment in the form of cash, check, or credit card must be received prior to the close of check-in for the respective specie).
- Jan. 5:** Open Breeding Beef, Open Specialty and Open Dairy Cattle, Open Breeding Sheep, Open Boer and Open Dairy Goats, Sheep Dog Trials and Group Classes, Quality Counts Multi Media Contest
- Jan. 6 - Feb 15:** Open Show Late Entries – \$25 fee per head (not including rabbit and cavy entries)
- Feb. 1:** Youth and Open Breeding Rabbits and Cavies (NO LATE ENTRY), Junior Breeding Show substitution deadline – All Junior Breeding Show substitutions received after this date will be charged a \$50 substitution fee per entry.
- Feb. 5:** Intercollegiate Judging Contest Entry and Llama/Alpaca Show deadline-All entries received after this date and before February 15 will be charged an additional \$50 fee per team/individual. Intercollegiate Judging Contest Entries will not be received after Feb. 15
- Feb. 15:** Open Show Late Entry Deadline – No entries will be accepted after this date. Open Show Substitution Deadline – All Open Show substitutions received after this date will be charged a \$10 substitution fee per entry. Intercollegiate Judging Contest Late Entry Deadline – No entries will be accepted after this date.

JUNIOR SHOW

ENTRIES:

Entries must be submitted online before **midnight, Dec. 1**. Entries submitted between **Dec. 2 - 15** will automatically be charged a \$250 late fee per chapter or county.

Junior Show entries must have an official postmark of Dec.15 or earlier.

A Junior Show entry consists of the following, all of which must be received at the same time:

1. One check for all entries made payable to Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo
2. W-9 Form completed for each exhibitor
3. Release of Liability and Indemnity Agreement completed for each exhibitor
4. W-9 Form completed for 4-H Club or FFA Chapter
5. Summary Sheet from the online entry process
6. Completed Country of Origin Affidavit (market entries only)
7. Copies of all Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Registration Papers (in the name of the respective exhibitor on or before November 1, 2010) for all heifers entered per club/chapter

All Junior Show entries must be made together and at one time by the Agricultural Science Teacher or County Extension Agent.

Group classes for Junior Breeding Sheep must be specified on the entry forms and the fee of \$10 per entry must be paid.

Entries submitted on **Dec. 16 until the end of check-in for each individual species** will automatically be charged a \$500 late fee.

OPEN SHOW

ENTRIES:

Open Show entries will be accepted after the Jan. 5 deadline date, if space is available. Open Show entries postmarked after Jan. 5 and entries that are hand-delivered to the Houston Livestock Show after Jan. 5 must pay a \$25 per head late fee. Late entries are not guaranteed to be stalled with other entries by the same exhibitor or owner. Open Show late entry deadline is Feb. 15.

Group classes for cattle, sheep, and llamas must be specified on the entry application and the fee of \$10 per entry must be paid .

— REQUIRED —

Each 4-H Club, FFA Chapter, Junior Exhibitor and Open Show Exhibitor must complete an IRS W-9 form and return it with entry.

2011 Sales and Auction Schedule

Tuesday, March 1

7 p.m. Simbrah/Simmental Cattle Sale Reliant Center – East Arena

Wednesday, March 2

noon 44th Annual All Breeds Commercial Range Bull Sale
Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

6:30 p.m. International Brahman Cattle Sale Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Thursday, March 3

7 p.m. Beefmaster Promotional Group Haltered Sale Reliant Center – East Arena

Friday, March 4

2 p.m. Ranching & Wildlife Expo Auction Reliant Center - Main Club

5 p.m. Santa Gertrudis Cattle Sale Reliant Center – East Arena

7:30 p.m. Braford Cattle Sale..... Reliant Center – East Arena

Saturday, March 5

noon 44th Annual All Breeds Commercial Female Sale Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

6 p.m. Champion Wine Auction and Dinner
(separate ticket required) Reliant Center

7:30 p.m. International Brangus Cattle Sale..... Reliant Center – East Arena

Tuesday, March 8

4 p.m. Junior Commercial Steer Sale..... Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Friday, March 11

noon Junior Market Lamb and Goat Auction Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Saturday, March 12

noon Junior Market Steer Auction Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Sunday, March 13

noon School Art Auction Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Friday, March 18

noon Junior Market Barrow Auction Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Saturday, March 19

11 a.m. Junior Market Poultry Auction Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Daily Livestock Schedule

The release hours listed are strictly enforced with no exceptions.
Releases are issued by department superintendents.

Monday, February 28

7 a.m. **Move-In:** Angus, Brahman, Braunvieh, Shorthorn, Simbrah, Simmental, Maine Anjou, Hereford/Polled Hereford, and Red Angus (Must be in place by 5 p.m. and checked in by 7 p.m.)

Move-In: All Breed Range Bulls (Must be in place by 5 p.m., Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion)

Tuesday, March 1

7 a.m. **Move-In:** Dairy and Boer Goats
(Must be in place by 3 p.m. and checked in by 5 p.m., Reliant Center – East Arena)

8 a.m. Grade All Breeds Range Bulls Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Weigh and Measure International Brahman Cattle Reliant Center – Main Arena

1 p.m. Maine Anjou Show Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)

Red Angus Show Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)

Weigh and Measure Simbrah/Simmental Cattle Reliant Center – Back Dock

2:30 p.m. Hereford/Polled Hereford Show Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)

3:30 p.m. Shorthorn Show Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)

4 p.m. Celebrity Dairy Goat Milking Contest Reliant Center – East Arena

5 p.m. **Release:** Maine Anjou, Red Angus, Hereford/Polled Hereford, and Shorthorn
(Must be out by 5 p.m. on March 2)

7 p.m. Simbrah/Simmental Cattle Sale Reliant Center – East Arena

Wednesday, March 2

8 a.m. Simbrah Show Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)

Angus Show Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)

Open Dairy Goat Show Reliant Center - East Arena (east side)

Open Boer Goat Show Reliant Center – East Arena (west side)

9 a.m.	Ranching and Wildlife Expo	Reliant Center - TBA
11:30 a.m.	Braunvieh Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
Noon	<i>Release (upon completion of show): Angus and Simbrah (Must be out by 5 p.m.)</i>	
	44 th Annual All Breed Commercial Range Bull Sale	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion
12:15 p.m.	Simmental Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
3 p.m.	International Dairy Goat Congress	Reliant Center
3:30 p.m.	<i>Release (upon completion of show): Braunvieh and Simmental (Must be out by 8 pm)</i>	
4 p.m.	<i>Release: All Breeds Commercial Range Bulls (Must be out by midnight)</i>	
	Mounted Shooting Performance	Reliant Center – Main Cattle Arena
6 p.m.	Dairy Goat Product Tasting Contest	Reliant Center – TBA
6:30 p.m.	International Brahman Sale	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion
7 p.m.	Dairy and Boer Goat Exhibitor Reception	Reliant Center - TBA

Thursday, March 3

7 a.m.	<i>Move-In: All Breed Commercial Females (Must be in place by 5 p.m.)</i>	
	<i>Move-In: Beefmaster, Limousin, American Red Brangus, Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Braford, Charolais (Must be in place by 5 p.m. and checked in by 7 p.m.)</i>	
8 a.m.	Brahman Show (Females)	Reliant Center – Main Arena
	Youth Dairy Goat Showmanship	Reliant Center – East Arena (east side)
	Youth Boer Goat Showmanship	Reliant Center – East Arena (west side)
9 a.m.	Youth Dairy Goat Show	Reliant Center – East Arena (east side)
	Youth Boer Goat Show	Reliant Center – East Arena (west side)
	Ranching and Wildlife Expo	Reliant Center – TBA
1 p.m.	<i>Release: Open and Youth Boer and Dairy Goats (Must be out by 8 p.m.)</i>	
5:30 p.m.	Weigh and Measure International Brangus Cattle (or upon completion of Brahman Show – Females)	Reliant Center – Main Arena
7 p.m.	Beefmaster Promotional Group Haltered Sale	Reliant Center – East Arena (west side)

Friday, March 4

7 a.m.	<i>Move-In: Breeding Sheep (Must be in place by 3 p.m. and checked in by 5 p.m.)</i>	
8 a.m.	Brahman Show (Bulls)	Reliant Center – Main Arena
	Grade All Breeds Commercial Females	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion
9 a.m.	Ranching and Wildlife Expo	Reliant Center – TBA
	Braford Weigh and Measure	Reliant Center – Back Dock
2 p.m.	Ranching & Wildlife Expo Auction	Reliant Center – Rooms TBA
2:30 p.m.	Beefmaster Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
	International Brangus Show (Bulls)	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
5 p.m.	Santa Gertrudis Sale	Reliant Center – East Arena
7 p.m.	Breeding Sheep Reception	Reliant Center – TBA
7:30 p.m.	Braford Sale	Reliant Center – East Arena
8 p.m.	Intercollegiate Meat Judging Coaches Dinner	Pace Chuck Wagon Corral

Saturday, March 5

6 a.m.	Registration: Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest (Division B)	Mims Meat Company, Inc.
7 a.m.	<i>Move-In: Junior Breeding Gilts (Must be in place by 3 p.m. and checked in by 5 p.m.)</i>	
	<i>Release: Beefmaster and Brahman (Must be out by noon on Sunday, March 6)</i>	
	Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest (Division B)	Mims Meat Company, Inc.
	Registration: 4-H/FFA Floriculture Judging Contest	Reliant Center – TBA
	Registration: 4-H/FFA Nursery Landscape Judging Contest	Reliant Center – TBA
8 a.m.	Junior Breeding Sheep Show	Reliant Center – East Arena (west side)
	Registration: Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest (Division A)	Mims Meat Company
	Registration: 4-H/FFA Range and Pasture Plant ID Judging Contest	Reliant Arena – TBA
	4-H/FFA Floriculture Judging Contest	Reliant Center – TBA
	4-H/FFA Nursery Landscape Judging Contest	Reliant Center - TBA
9 a.m.	Open Breeding Sheep Show	Reliant Center – East Arena (west side)
	School Art Awards	Reliant Center – Main Arena
	4-H/FFA Range and Pasture Plant ID Contest	Reliant Arena – TBA

	Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest (Division A)	Mims Meat Company
	Ranching and Wildlife Expo	Reliant Center – Rooms TBA
Noon	All Breeds Commercial Female Sale	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion
	4-H/FFA Floriculture Judging Contest Awards	Reliant Center – TBA
	4-H/FFA Nursery/Landscape Judging Contest Awards	Reliant Center – TBA
12:30 p.m.	International Brangus Show (Females)	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
	Braford Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
1 p.m.	4-H/FFA Range and Pasture Plant ID Judging Contest Awards	Reliant Center – TBA
2 p.m.	Release: Open and Junior Breeding Sheep upon completion of show (Must be out by 10 a.m. on March 6)	
4 p.m.	Release: All Breeds Commercial Females (Must be out by midnight)	
	Charolais Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
7:30 p.m.	International Brangus Association Sale	Reliant Center – East Arena

Sunday, March 6

7 a.m.	Release: International Brangus, Braford, and Charolais (Must be out by 6 p.m.)	
7:30 a.m.	Registration: 4-H/FFA Meat Judging Contest	Mims Meat Company, Inc.
8 a.m.	Santa Gertrudis Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
	Limousin Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
	Junior Breeding Gilt Show	Reliant Center – East Arena
	Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest Awards Breakfast	TBA
8:30 a.m.	4-H/FFA Meat Judging Contest	Mims Meat Company
10:30 a.m.	Release: Limousin (Must be out by 8 p.m.)	
11 a.m.	American Red Brangus Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
Noon	Release: Junior Breeding Gilts upon completion of show (Must be out by 8 p.m.)	
	Release: Santa Gertrudis upon completion of breed show (Must be out by 8 p.m.)	
2 p.m.	4-H/FFA Meat Judging Contest Awards	Mims Meat Company, Inc.
	Release: American Red Brangus upon completion of show (Must be out by 8 p.m.)	

3:30 p.m. Lil' Rustlers Rodeo

Reliant Center – Main Arena

Monday, March 7

4 a.m. ***Move-In:** Junior Market Steers (Must be in place by 4 p.m.)*

***Move-In:** Junior Commercial Steers (Record books must be turned in by 10 a.m.)*

7:30 a.m. Registration: State FFA Tractor Technician Contest

Reliant Center – TBA

8 a.m. Registration: 4-H/FFA Horse Judging Contest

The Great Southwest Equestrian Center

8:30 a.m. State FFA Tractor Technician Contest (Parts I and II)

Reliant Center – TBA

11 a.m. Junior Commercial Steer Orientation

Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Noon Junior Commercial Steer Exhibitor Lunch

Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

12:30 p.m. Weigh and Grade Jr. Commercial Steers

Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

1 p.m. 4-H/FFA Horse Judging Contest Awards

The Great Southwest Equestrian Center

3 p.m. State FFA Tractor Technician Contest (Part III)

Reliant Center – Main Arena

4 p.m. State FFA Tractor Technician Contest Awards

Reliant Center – Main Arena

4:30 p.m. Junior Commercial Steer Ultrasound Demonstration

Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Tuesday, March 8

4 a.m. ***Move-In:** Junior Market Goats and Lambs (must be in place by noon)*

7 a.m. Junior Commercial Steer Test

Reliant Arena – TBA

8 a.m. Junior Market Steers Classify, Sift and Weight Card Turn-In

Reliant Center – Main Arena

Junior Market Lamb and Goat Self Check-In

Reliant Center – East Arena

(MUST BE CHECKED IN AT KIOSK BY 2 PM – WEIGHT CARDS MUST BE DEPOSITED DURING CHECK-IN)

Junior Commercial Steer Contestant Preliminary Interview

Reliant Arena – TBA

3 p.m. Ag4You Forum

Reliant Center – Main Cattle Arena

4 p.m. Junior Commercial Steer Sale

Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Wednesday, March 9

7:30 a.m. Junior Commercial Steer Final Interviews

Reliant Arena - TBA

8 a.m. Junior Market Steer Show

Reliant Center – Main Arena

(Angus, Red Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Limousin, Chianina)

All placing steers not walking across the auction floor MUST report to Port City by 5 p.m. on March 9

	Junior Market Lamb and Goat Opening Ceremonies	Reliant Center – East Arena
8:30 a.m.	Junior Market Lamb Show	Reliant Center – East Arena (east side)
	Junior Market Goat Show	Reliant Center – East Arena (west side)
9 a.m.	Junior Commercial Steer Educational Program	Reliant Arena – TBA
Noon	<i>Release: Non-placing Junior Market Steers</i>	
	<i>Release: Lamb and Goats – tack only</i>	
3:30 p.m.	Junior Commercial Steer Awards Luncheon	Reliant Arena – TBA

Thursday, March 10

8 a.m.	Junior Market Steer Show <i>(Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Brahman, ABC, Shorthorn, Maine Anjou)</i> <i>All placing steers not walking across the auction floor MUST report to Port City by 5 p.m. on March 10</i>	Reliant Center – Main Arena
	Junior Market Lamb Show	Reliant Center – East Arena (east side)
	Junior Market Goat Show	Reliant Center – East Arena (west side)
10 a.m.	<i>Move-In: Llamas and Alpaca (Reliant Arena – Hall B, must be in place by 4 p.m. and checked-in by 5 p.m.)</i>	
Noon	<i>Release: Non-placing Junior Market Steers</i>	
	<i>Release: Lamb and Goats – tack only</i>	
6 p.m.	Llama and Alpaca Exhibitor Meeting	Reliant Arena – Hall B
6:30 p.m.	Junior Market Lamb and Goat Exhibitor Auction Meeting <i>(Mandatory for top 3 exhibitors in each class)</i>	Reliant Center – East Arena
7:30 p.m.	Junior Market Lamb and Goat Champion Selection	Reliant Center – East Arena

Friday, March 11

8 a.m.	Junior Market Steer Show <i>(AOB, Charolais, Simmental)</i> <i>All placing steers not walking across the auction floor MUST report to Port City by 5 p.m. on March 11</i>	Reliant Center – Main Arena
	Llama Walking Fleece and Alpaca Showmanship Shows	Reliant Arena – Hall B
9 a.m.	<i>Release: Non-placing Junior Market Steers upon completion of show (Must be out by noon on March 12)</i>	
10 a.m.	Alpaca Halter and Llama Showmanship Shows	Reliant Arena – Hall B
	Llama Halter Show	Reliant Arena – Hall B
	Llama and Alpaca Group Classes <i>(Immediately following Llama Halter Show)</i>	Reliant Arena – Hall B

Llama and Alpaca Open Performance Show
(Immediately following Youth Performance Show)

Reliant Arena – Hall B

Noon Junior Market Lamb & Goat Auction

Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

3 p.m. All remaining Junior Market Steers must re-locate to Orange, Purple, or Red Sections. **Steers are NOT to be stalled in Yellow & Blue Sections.**

5:30 p.m. Junior Market Steer Exhibitor Auction Meeting
(Mandatory only for top 4 exhibitors in each class))

Reliant Center – Main Arena

6:00 p.m. Junior Market Steer Pre-Judging

Reliant Center – Main Arena

8:30 p.m. Junior Market Steer Champion Selection

Reliant Stadium

Saturday, March 12

4 a.m. **Move-In:** Junior Market Barrows (Must be in place by 11 am)
(Wave 1 – Yorkshire, Chester White & OPB and Other Crossbred)

7 a.m. **Move-In:** Dexter, Dairy Cattle, Texas Longhorns, Miniature Herefords, Lowline Angus, and Miniature Zebu
(Must be in place by 5 p.m. and must be checked in by 7 p.m.)

Registration: 4-H and FFA Poultry Judging Contest

Reliant Center – TBA

Registration: 4-H and FFA Wildlife Habitat Contest

T&M Ranch

Move Auction Qualifying Junior Market Steers to Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

8 a.m. Llama and Alpaca Youth Showmanship Show

Reliant Arena - Hall B

Poultry Judging Contest

Reliant Center – Main Arena

Junior Market Barrow Self Check –In

Reliant Center – East Arena

(MUST BE CHECKED IN AT KIOSK BY 2 PM – WEIGHT CARDS MUST BE DEPOSITED DURING CHECK-IN)

8:30 a.m. Wildlife Habitat Judging Contest

T&M Ranch

9 a.m. Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance Show

Reliant Arena – Hall B

10 a.m. Lloan-A-Llama

Reliant Arena – Hall B

Llama and Alpaca Shorn Fleece Show

Reliant Arena – Hall B

Noon Junior Market Steer Auction

Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Sheep Dog Trials

Reliant Center – Main Arena

1 p.m. Llama and Alpaca Costume

Reliant Arena – Hall B

4-H and FFA Poultry Judging Contest Results and Awards

Reliant Center – East Arena

2 p.m. Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance Show (continued)

Reliant Arena - Hall B

4:30 p.m. 4-H and FFA Wildlife Habitat Contest Results and Awards

T&M Ranch

5 p.m. Weigh and Measure Miniature Hereford

Reliant Center – Back Dock

Sunday, March 13

7 a.m.	Registration: 4-H and FFA Dairy Judging Contest	Reliant Center – Superintendent's Office
	Dairy Judging Contest	Reliant Center – Main Arena
8 a.m.	Classify and Show Junior Market Barrows (Show A: Yorkshire, Chester White & OPB, Light Weight Other Crossbred)	Reliant Center – East Arena
	Registration: Public Speaking Contest	Reliant Center – TBA
	Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance Show (continued)	Reliant Arena – Hall B
9 a.m.	Public Speaking Preliminary Contest	Reliant Center – TBA
10 a.m.	Dairy Judging Contest Awards	Reliant Center – Main Arena
11:30 a.m.	Fiesta Charra	Reliant Center – Main Arena
Noon	<i>Release: Llamas and Alpacas upon completion of show (Must be out by 8 p.m.)</i>	
	<i>Release: Junior Market Barrows – tack only</i>	
	School Art Auction	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion
1 p.m.	Youth Texas Longhorn Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
	Texas Longhorn Trophy Steer Show (Immediately following Youth Texas Longhorn Show)	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
7:30 p.m.	Fiesta Charra	Reliant Center – Main Arena

Monday, March 14

8 a.m.	Classify and Show Junior Market Barrows (Show B: Other Crossbred)	Reliant Center – East Arena
	Open Texas Longhorn Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
	Open & Junior Dairy Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
	Check-in: Public Speaking Finals Contestants	Reliant Center – TBA
9 a.m.	Public Speaking Contest Finals	Reliant Center – TBA
1 p.m.	Public Speaking Awards	Reliant Center – TBA
	Miniature Zebu Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
2 p.m.	<i>Release: Longhorn and Dairy (Must be out by 10 p.m.)</i>	

3 p.m.	Open and Youth Dexter Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
8 p.m.	Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Coaches' Dinner	Pace Chuck Wagon Corral

Tuesday, March 15

4 a.m.	Move-In: Junior Market Barrows (Must be in place by 11 a.m.) (Wave 2 - Duroc, Berkshire, Hampshire, Spotted, Poland China and Dark Crossbred)	
7 a.m.	Registration: Intercollegiate Livestock Judging	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion
7:30 a.m.	Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest	Reliant Arena – Halls A and B
8 a.m.	Lowline Angus Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (east side)
	Miniature Hereford Show	Reliant Center – Main Arena (west side)
	Junior Market Barrow Self Check-In (MUST BE CHECKED IN AT KIOSK BY 2 PM – WEIGHT CARDS MUST BE DEPOSITED DURING CHECK-IN)	Reliant Center – East Arena
9 a.m.	Registration: Intercollegiate Wool and Mohair Judging	Reliant Center – TBA
10 a.m.	Intercollegiate Wool and Mohair Judging Contest	Reliant Center – TBA
11 a.m.	Registration: 4-H/FFA Wool Judging	Reliant Center – TBA
	Registration: 4-H/FFA Livestock Judging	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion
11:30 a.m.	Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Reasons	TBA
Noon	Move-In: Optional for Calf Scramble Heifers noon – 5 p.m.	
12:30 p.m.	4-H/FFA Livestock Judging Contest	Reliant Arena – Hall A and B
1 p.m.	4-H/FFA Wool Judging Contest	Reliant Center - TBA
	Release: Miniature Zebu, Miniature Hereford, Lowline Angus, and Dexter (Must be out by 8:00 p.m.)	
3 p.m.	John Deere Product Demonstration	Reliant Center – Main Arena
4 p.m.	4-H/FFA Wool Judging Contest Results and Awards	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Wednesday, March 16

4 a.m.	Move-in: Junior Breeding Beef & Scramble Heifers (Must be in place by 2 p.m.)	
7 a.m.	Move-In: Youth Breeding Rabbits (Must be in place by 7 p.m., Reliant Center – West Arena)	
	Move-In: Youth Meat Pen Rabbits (Must be in place by 10 a.m., Reliant Center – West Arena)	
8 a.m.	Junior Market Barrow Show	Reliant Center – East Arena

(Show A: Hampshire, Duroc and Berkshire)

Intercollegiate Livestock Judging/Wool & Mohair Judging Awards Breakfast TBA

Noon **Release:** Junior Market Barrows – tack only

7 p.m. Scramble Heifer Check-in Reliant Center – Main Arena

Thursday, March 17

8 a.m. Classify and Show Junior Market Barrows Reliant Center – East Arena
(Show B: Poland China, Spotted and Dark Crossbred)

Youth Breeding Rabbit Show Reliant Center – West Arena

8:30 a.m. Youth Breeding Rabbit Judging Contest Reliant Center – West Arena
Calf Scramble Donor Breakfast Reliant Center - TBA

1:30 p.m. Scramble Heifer Show Reliant Center – Main Arena

6:30 p.m. Junior Market Barrow Exhibitor Auction Meeting Reliant Center – East Arena
(Mandatory only for first placing and higher exhibitors in each class)

7:30 p.m. Junior Market Barrow Grand Champion Selection Reliant Center – East Arena

Friday, March 18

4 a.m. **Move-In:** Junior Market Poultry (must be on premise by 9 a.m.) Reliant Arena (arrive directly to Gate 5)

6 a.m. Junior Market Poultry Sift Reliant Arena – Hall B

7 a.m. **Move-In:** Ag Mechanics Projects (must be in place by 3 p.m.)

8 a.m. Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Reliant Center – Main Arena
(East – Beefmaster, Charolais, ARB West – Grey Brahman, Red Brahman, Shorthorn)

Youth Rabbit Show Reliant Center – West Arena

10:30 a.m. Junior Market Broiler Show Reliant Arena – Hall B
(Poultry exhibitors are released upon completion of show. All exhibitors qualifying for the auction are required to be present at the Auction on March 19.)

Noon Junior Market Barrow Auction Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion

Junior Market Turkey Show Reliant Arena – Hall B
(Poultry exhibitors are released upon completion of show. All exhibitors qualifying for the auction are required to be present at the Auction on March 19.)

2 p.m. Youth Rabbit Results and Awards Reliant Center – West Arena

3 p.m. **Release:** Youth Breeding Rabbits and Youth Meat Pen Rabbits (Must be out by 6 p.m.)

8 p.m. Calf Scramble Awards Banquet Reliant Center – Main Arena

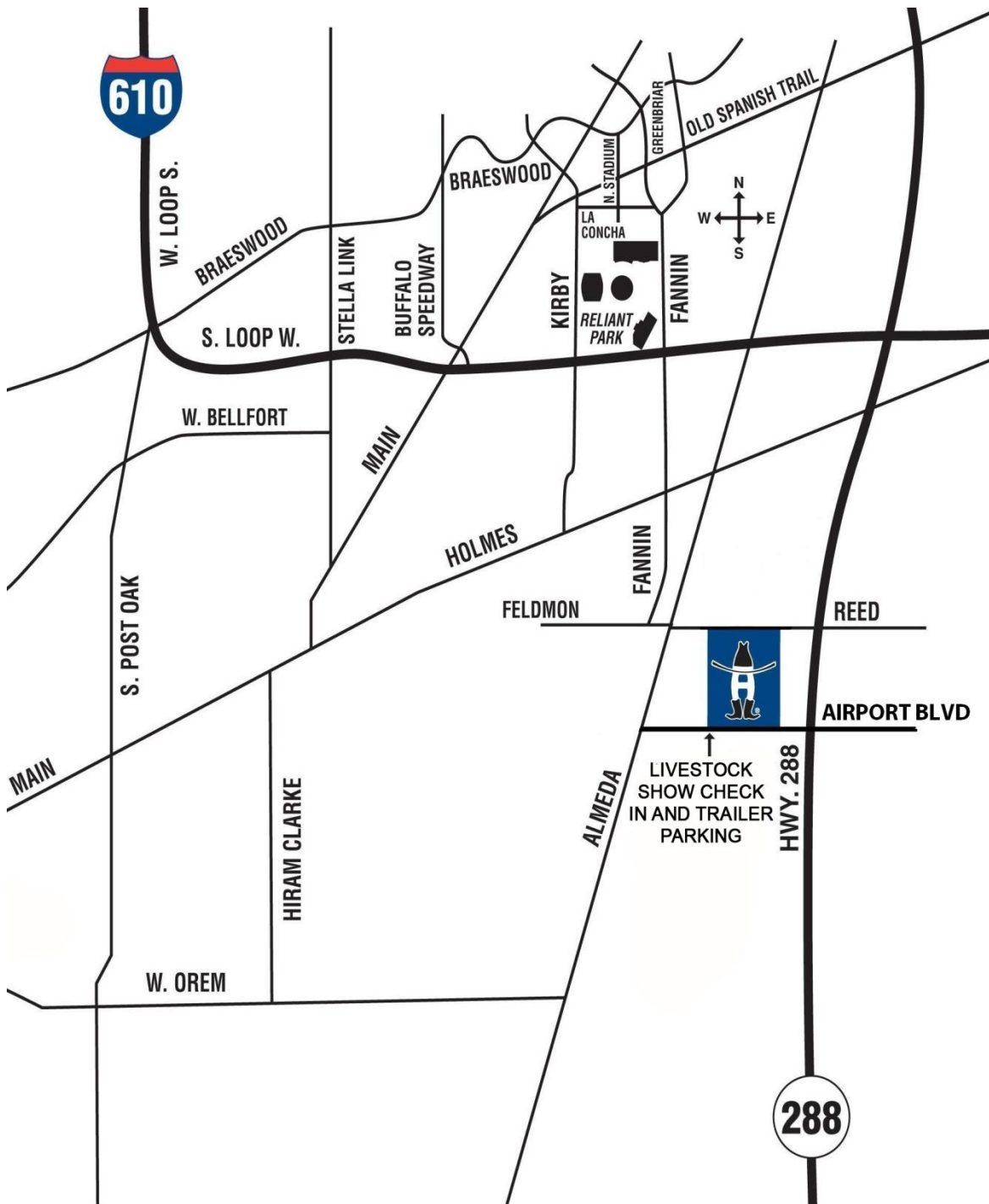
Saturday, March 19

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| 7 a.m. | Move-In: Open Breeding Rabbits and Cavies (Must be in place and checked in by 10 a.m.) | |
| | Release: Jr. Breeding Beef and Scramble Heifers: Upon completion of breed shows (Must be out by 8 p.m. on March 20) | |
| 8 a.m. | Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show
(East – Simbrah, Angus, Maine-Anjou; West – Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simmental) | Reliant Center – Main Arena |
| | Ag Mechanics Career Fair | Reliant Center – TBA |
| | Ag Mechanics Show Judging | Reliant Center – East Arena |
| 11 a.m. | Junior Market Poultry Auction | Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion |
| 1 p.m. | Open Breeding Rabbit and Cavy Show | Reliant Center – West Arena |
| 12 a.m. | All Scramble Heifers MUST BE REMOVED FROM TIE OUTS | Reliant Center – Back Dock |

Sunday, March 20

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| 7 a.m. | Release: <i>Jr. Breeding Beef and Scramble Heifers: Upon completion of breed shows
(Must be out by 8 p.m. on March 20)</i> | |
| 8 a.m. | Junior Breeding Heifer Show
<i>(East – Limousin, Red Brangus, Red Angus; West – Hereford, Polled Hereford, ORB)</i> | Reliant Center – Main Arena |
| | Open Breeding Rabbit and Cavy Show | Reliant Center – West Arena |
| | Ag Mechanics Grand Champion Selection | Reliant Center – East Arena |
| 9 a.m. | Ag Mechanics Awards | Reliant Center – East Arena |
| | Release: <i>Ag Mechanics Projects upon completion of awards (must be out by 7 p.m.)</i> | |
| 10:30 a.m. | Open Rabbit and Cavy Costume Contest | Reliant Center – West Arena |
| 1 p.m. | Open Rabbit and Cavy Results and Awards | Reliant Center – West Arena |
| 2 p.m. | Release: Open Breeding Rabbits and Cavies upon completion of Show <i>(Must be out by 3 p.m.)</i> | |
| 3 p.m. | Supreme Champion Heifer Drive
<i>(or upon completion of Jr Breeding Beef Heifer Show)</i> | Reliant Center – Main Arena |
| 3 p.m. | All Heifers MUST BE REMOVED FROM TIE OUTS | Reliant Center – Back Dock |
| 4:30 p.m. | Release: <i>All remaining Jr. Breeding Beef and Scramble Heifers (Must be out by 6 p.m.)</i> | |

Staging and Trailer Parking



All Livestock exhibitors must enter and stage on AIRPORT BOULEVARD.
Trailer Parking will also be at
AIRPORT BOULEVARD
1901 Airport Blvd.
Houston, TX 77051

NOTE: Please do NOT lock trailers once parked at Airport Boulevard.

General Rules and Regulations

Force Majeure and Governmental Regulation

In view of the fact that the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo ("The Show") is a non profit corporation depending to a great degree upon the contributions and services of a substantial number of donors and volunteers, as well as the benefits provided by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo to the general public through education and related services as set forth in the Preamble to these General Rules and Regulations, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo deems it appropriate and prudent to be excused from liability, as set forth below in this paragraph, in the event of early cancellation of its events, operations and activities by reason of force majeure and/or governmental regulation. Accordingly, the following shall apply to the operations and activities conducted by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo:

Force Majeure

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo shall not be liable for any delay or failure to perform its operations, activities, shows and events to the extent such delay or failure results from a force majeure occurrence. A force majeure occurrence is defined as any occurrence arising from causes beyond the reasonable control of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and which delays or prevents performance by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo otherwise required by this Agreement, including but not limited to any (i) breakage or accident to equipment, machinery or facilities; (ii) any strikes, lock-outs or other labor difficulties; (iii) statutes, ordinances, regulations, orders or rules issued by governmental authorities; (iv) judicial decrees or orders; (v) acts of God; (vi) animal diseases and/or quarantines; (vii) wars, riots or insurrections; (viii) civil disobediences, public demonstrations or sabotage; (ix) fires, floods, explosions or inclement weather; (x) inability to obtain necessary labor, materials, supplies, utilities or transportation; (xi) depressions, recessions or other economic downturns; (xii) embargoes or energy shortages; or (xiii) other causes beyond the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo's reasonable control.

Governmental Regulation

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo shall not be liable for any delay or failure to perform its operations, activities, shows and events to the extent such delay or failure results from The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo's good faith compliance with applicable governmental statutes, ordinances, regulations, orders, rules or other directives, including but not limited to compliance with governmental directives concerning public health and safety, animal disease prevention, detection and response, including animal quarantine and/or destruction; and protection of the environment.

Homeland Security System Warning Statement

Evacuation of Livestock/Equine: During such times as deemed necessary by local, state or federal authorities, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, and/or its officials may, temporarily or permanently evacuate Reliant Park under the authority of the Homeland Security Act. Incidents such as, but not limited to, 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 equine. In such cases, exhibitors and/or contestants will turn over the care of their livestock or equine to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Proper animal husbandry practices will be followed within reasonable expectations. At which time the evacuation notice is lifted, then exhibitors/contestants will be allowed to reenter Reliant Park and claim their livestock or equine.

By making entry into the Show you authorize the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and its officials to detain your livestock/equine on these premises. Furthermore, you agree to hold harmless and without liability the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, its officials, directors, officers, volunteers and staff for those animals under the reasonable care of the Show.

Administration of Rules and Regulations

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo reserves to its Executive Committee the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and to arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incident to the Show, and the right to amend or add to these rules as its judgment may determine. An exhibitor who violates any of the following rules will forfeit all privileges and premiums.

Special rules or conditions are published in each department where necessary; if there is a conflict between the special rules of any department and the general rules and regulations, the special rules will govern.

If any of the rules, or any provision of any single rule, is later held to be legally invalid or otherwise unenforceable, all other rules, and all other provisions and terms of any rule containing a provision or term later held to be legally invalid or unenforceable, shall remain in full force and effect.

Disclaimer of Warranties

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo expressly disclaims any express or implied warranties (including merchantability), whether the goods or services are provided by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo or by others (such as drug testing). The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo does NOT provide security or guard services.

Definitions Pertaining to Rules and Regulations

Breeder: The breeder of an animal is the owner of the dam at the time of service. Prior to the close of entries, when a breeder disposes of his herd to a corporation wherein he is a stockholder or manager, such animals may be exhibited as bred by said corporation.

Grade: Grade is defined to mean an animal having one purebred parent and showing predominantly the characteristic of the breed of that parent.

Attention: Use of Drugs

The use by non-veterinarians* of animal drugs or other substances in any manner other than in accord with the labeling approved by FDA is a violation of federal law. Exhibitor and exhibitor's parents and/or guardians agree that: (1) they are absolutely and completely responsible persons for the care and custody of their animals, (2) the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo shall be entitled to disqualify an exhibitor whose animal tests positive for any drug, even if the exhibitor and the exhibitor's parents or guardians are innocent of any wrongdoing and did not administer the drug, (3) the drug test results of the testing laboratories are final and binding upon the exhibitor and the exhibitor's parents and/or guardians. Even if the source of the drug is unknown, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo shall be entitled to disqualify the exhibitor.

* Abuse of the extra-label privilege by veterinarians is unethical and is subject to serious consequences such as license revocation.

Statement of Liability

All exhibits are under the control and direction of the Show Management, but the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is not responsible for any loss or damage that may occur. Each exhibitor will be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage done to, or occasioned by, or arising from, any animal or article exhibited by him and for its description as given in the catalog, and shall indemnify the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo against all legal or other proceedings in regard thereto, as well as damage or injury to any other person or property, caused by the exhibitor, or any of the animals exhibited by him, or arising out of, or in any way connected with such exhibition of any of the animals so exhibited.

Entry Requirements and Procedures

1. **Liability Statement:** Exhibitor (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 rules and regulations of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. If the exhibitor does not sign this statement (attached to the entry application), his/her application for entry will not be accepted.
2. **Eligible to Enter:**
 - a. **Invitational Show:** The HLSR is an invitational Livestock Show. HLSR reserves the right to extend, withhold, or revoke an invitation to any Exhibitor or Contestant.
 - b. **Special Rules:** To be eligible to enter, exhibitors and their livestock must meet the special requirements of the animal or breed of animal to be exhibited. These requirements are listed in the Special Rules section in the Open Show division or Junior Show division of this handbook.
 - c. **Certificates of Registry:** Animals in the breeding classes must be recorded in the recognized books of record for their respective breeds. Exhibitors must produce original certificates of registry at the request of the Superintendent in charge. Tattoos, ear tags or other identification marks must match registration certificates.
 - d. **Possession of Livestock:** Animals, whether entered singular or in groups, must be the legal property of the exhibitor. Breeding livestock or poultry entries, except where otherwise specified, must be entered in the name of the owner or exhibitor must have permission of owner to enter and/or exhibit animals. Animals exhibited by colleges of agriculture must be bred by the college making the exhibit or be owned by, and in the possession of, the college for six months prior to the Show. Such stock must have been fitted and prepared for the Show wholly by a regular employee or student of the college.
 - e. **Firms and Partnerships:** Firms and partnerships entering animals for competition must exist when entry applications are submitted. Firm and partnership arrangements must be bona fide. Partnerships are not allowed in the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show.
3. **Ineligible to Enter:**

- a. **Disqualified Exhibitors:** The Show, cooperating with the North American Livestock Show and Rodeo Managers Association and using the Rule Infraction Database, reserves the right to refuse entry of any exhibitor. An exhibitor found in violation of any Show rules is subject to have his/her name and the result of the rule violation submitted to the Rule Infraction Database administered by the North American Livestock Show and Rodeo Managers Association.
 - b. **Diseased Animals:** Diseased animals cannot enter the Livestock Show area or grounds. Superintendents 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 on request.
4. **Entry Procedure:**
- a. **Entry Submission:** Entry applications must be submitted on current, official Houston Livestock Show entry applications and must include all requested information. Incomplete entries will be returned to applicants. Complete entries, including signature of the applicant/exhibitor, parent or guardian are to be filed in the Livestock Show office.
 - b. **Group Classes:** Entries for group classes also must be shown in their respective single classes. Exhibitors must indicate the Breed and Group Class in which they expect to compete. Group Class entries must be made by the appropriate entry deadline and must include the appropriate entry fees.
 - c. **Entering Both Junior Show and Open Show:** If the exhibitor chooses to show in both the Junior Show and the Open Show, separate entry applications and fees are required. Only animals entered in the Junior Dairy Show, Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show and the Junior Breeding Sheep Show may also enter the Open Show.
 - d. **Acceptance of Entry:** Show Management reserves the right to reject, accept or accept conditionally an application for entry. Entry does not guarantee space in the exhibition buildings. Entries received after all pens, stalls or coops have been reserved will be returned to the exhibitor.
5. **Erroneous Entries:** At the discretion of Show Management, exhibits that have been erroneously entered may be transferred to their proper classes prior to judging. Show Management will decide the disposition of each case of erroneous entry upon its merits.
6. **Entry Deadline Dates:** Entry deadlines are strictly enforced.
- a. **Junior Show:** Entries must be submitted **ONLINE** before midnight, Dec. 1. Junior Show entries submitted after Dec. 1 and on or before Dec. 15 will be accepted with a \$250 late fee. Entries submitted on **Dec. 16 until the end of check in for each individual species** will automatically be charged a \$500 late fee per entry. Late entries are not guaranteed to be in pre-Show press releases. The following items must also be postmarked Dec. 15 or before:
 - 1. One check for all entries made payable to Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo
 - 2. W-9 Form completed for each exhibitor
 - 3. Release of Liability and Indemnity Agreement completed for each exhibitor
 - 4. W-9 Form completed for 4-H Club or FFA Chapter
 - 5. Summary Sheet from the online entry process
 - 6. Country of Origin Affidavit for all Junior Market Show entries
 - 7. Copies of all Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Registration Papers (in the name of the respective exhibitor on or before November 1, 2010) for all heifers entered per club/chapter
 - b. **Open Show:** Entries will be accepted after the Jan. 5 deadline date if space is available. Open Show entries postmarked after Jan. 5 and entries that are hand-delivered to the Houston Livestock Show after Jan. 5 must pay a \$25 per head late fee. Late entries are not guaranteed to be stalled with other entries by the same exhibitor or owner. Open Show late entry deadline is Feb. 15.
 - c. **Group Classes:** Must be entered by Jan. 5.



Deadline dates for entries are as follows:

- Dec. 1:** Junior Market Steer, Junior Market Lamb, Junior Market Goat, Junior Market Barrow, Junior Market Broilers, Junior Market Turkey, Junior Commercial Steer, Junior Breeding Beef Heifer, Junior Beef Scramble Heifer, Junior Dairy Cattle, Junior Breeding Sheep, Junior Breeding Gilt, Agricultural Mechanics Project Show, Public Speaking and 4-H and FFA Judging Contests.
- Dec. 2 - 15:** Junior Show Late Entry – \$250 fee per chapter or county
- Dec. 15:** Youth Meat Pen Rabbits (NO LATE ENTRY)
- Dec. 16 until closing of check-in for the individual species** Junior Show Extra Late Entry – \$500 fee per entry
- Jan. 5:** Open Breeding Beef, Open Specialty and Open Dairy Cattle, Open Breeding Sheep, Open Boer and Open Dairy Goats, Sheep Dog Trials and Group Classes, Quality Counts Multi-Media Contest
- Jan. 6 - Feb 15:** Open Show Late Entries – \$25 additional fee per head (Not including rabbit and cavy entries)
- Feb. 1:** Youth and Open Breeding Rabbits and Cavies (NO LATE ENTRY), Junior Breeding Show substitution deadline – All Junior Breeding Show and Agricultural Mechanics Project Show substitutions received after this date will be charged a \$50 substitution fee per entry.
- Feb. 5:** Llamas/Alpacas and Intercollegiate Judging Contest Entry deadline-All entries received after this date and before February 15 will be charged an additional \$50 fee per team/individual. Intercollegiate Judging Contest Entries will not be received after Feb. 15.
- Feb. 15:** Open Show Late Entry Deadline – No entries will be accepted after this date. Open Show Substitution Deadline – All Open Show substitutions received after this date will be charged a \$10 substitution fee per entry. Intercollegiate Judging Contest Late Entry Deadline - No entries will be accepted after this date.
7. **Entry Fees:** Correct entry and miscellaneous fees must accompany entry applications. Note: Paid entry fees do not guarantee stall space for cattle. “Stall with” requests for the Open Show must be made in writing and be postmarked no later than Feb. 1.

An additional \$2 drug testing fee has been assessed to each of the junior market show entry fees.

Junior Market Lamb	\$ 27
Junior Breeding Sheep, per head	\$ 25
Junior Breeding Gilts, per head	\$ 25
Junior Breeding Sheep, group classes, per class	\$ 10
Junior Breeding Beef or Dairy Heifer	\$ 30
Junior Market Steer	\$ 32
Junior Commercial Steers, per pen of three	\$ 75
Junior Market Goat	\$ 27
Junior Market Barrow.....	\$ 27
Junior Market Turkey	\$ 27
Junior Market Broilers, per pen of three.....	\$ 27
Open Beef Cattle, per head, individual class	\$ 30
Open Specialty Cattle, per head, individual class.....	\$ 30
Texas Longhorn Cattle	\$ 40
Open and Specialty Cattle, group classes, per class.....	\$ 10
Exhibition Cattle, per head.....	\$100
Open Breeding Sheep, per head, individual class	\$ 25
Open Breeding Sheep, group classes, per class.....	\$ 10

Open Dairy Goats, per head	\$ 25
Open Boer Goats, per head.....	\$ 25
Halter Fee/per entry.....	\$ 25
Fleece Fee/per entry.....	\$ 25
Group Class Entry, per class	\$ 10
ALSA Fee, per animal entered	\$ 5
Non-ALSA Youth Members (showing in youth classes)	\$ 15
Non-ALSA farm fee/per farm	\$ 30
Performance Fee/per entry.....	\$15
Youth Performance Fee/per entry.....	\$10
Pen Fees, per pen	\$ 65

Open Breeding Rabbits Show A:

Open Breeding Rabbits, (1 - 3 animals).....	minimum \$ 15
Open Breeding Rabbits, per additional over 3 animals.....	\$ 5
Open Breeding Rabbits, per fur class	\$ 5
Open Youth Rabbits - Meat Pen	\$ 10
Open Cavies, (1 - 3 animals)	minimum \$ 15
Open Cavies, per additional over 3 animals	\$ 5

Open Breeding Rabbits Show B:

Bonus Points Show: Must show in Show A to show in Show B	
.....	\$ 3 entry per rabbit and cavy
Open Sheep Dog Trials, per entry	\$100
Agricultural Mechanics Project Show, per entry/project.....	\$ 25
Tractor Technician Contest, per team.....	\$ 25

Judging Contests:

All 4-H & FFA contests	\$40 per team
All 4-H & FFA contests	\$15 per individual
All Intercollegiate contests	\$100 per team
All Intercollegiate contests	\$30 per individual
Public Speaking Contest.....	\$20 per individual

- **Open Beef Cattle include the following breeds:** Angus, Beefmaster, Braford, Brahman, Brangus, Braunvieh, Charolais, Hereford/Polled Hereford, Limousin, Maine-Anjou, Red Angus, Red Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Shorthorn, Simbrah, Simmental
- **Open Specialty Cattle include the following breeds:** Longhorn, Youth Longhorn, Dexter, Miniature Hereford, Miniature Zebu, Lowline Angus

8. Miscellaneous Fees:

Junior Show Processing Fee, per club/chapter	\$ 10
Open Show Processing Fee, per application.....	\$ 10
Open Show Trim Chute Permit, each	\$ 20
Open Show Cattle Tie Out Permits, per head	\$ 10
Junior Show Cattle Tie Out Permits, per head	\$ 10
Scramble Heifer Tie Out Permits, per head.....	\$ 10
Open Show Late Entry Fee, per head	\$ 25
Junior Show Late Entry Fee, per county or chapter (Dec. 2 – Dec. 15)	\$ 250
Junior Show Extra Late Entry Fee (Dec. 16 - closing of check in for individual species), per entry	\$ 500
Open Show Substitution Fee, after Feb. 15, 2011, per entry.....	\$ 10
Junior Show Substitution Fee, after Feb. 1, 2011, per entry.....	\$ 50

9. Grounds Passes

Open Show – one per exhibitor, one per owner (if different than exhibitor) and one for every additional five head of cattle beyond the first animal entered.

Junior Show – one per exhibitor.

10. Parking Permits

Open Show – one per exhibitor, one per owner (if different than exhibitor)

Junior Show – vehicle permits will be based on the number of exhibitors per county or chapter per week as follows:

Number of Exhibitors	Permits Allowed
1 -10	4
11 - 15	6
16 - 20	8
21 - 25	10
26 - 30	12
31 - 50	20
51 & more	30

Permit must be displayed from rear view mirror and is transferable to other vehicles. Permits do not guarantee a parking space. Vehicle permits can not be purchased and are not distributed during the Show; they must be obtained in advance.

11. Admission Passes:

FunPasses! are available in advance or upon arrival. Reliant Park Admission tickets are available only upon arrival.

Admission:	Daily – Adults	\$ 7
	Daily – Children (3 - 12)	\$ 3
	Daily – Children (2 and younger).....	Free
	FunPass (Season Pass)	\$ 25

12. Refunds:

There are no entry fee refunds after the entry deadline (Junior Show: Dec. 1, 2010, Open Show: Jan. 5, 2011).

Competition

13. Judges:

- Selection of Judges:** Show Management is solely responsible for selecting judges and determining judging systems. Judges will be familiar with all rules, regulations and procedures of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
- Judges' Decision:** The judges' decisions are final. If fraud, misrepresentation, error or collusion is discovered after awards have been given, the Show Management or appointed referee will make a decision regarding final placement. Such decisions may be appealed to the Executive Committee from whose decision there will be no appeal. Protests alleging that the judges overlooked exhibits will not be considered.
- Interfering with Judges:** An exhibitor or his representative who interferes with or displays disrespect to a judge or the Show could forfeit any monies earned or be subject to other penalties assessed by the Show.

14. Sifting Committees:

The Show may appoint sifting committees to determine the eligibility of animals to compete prior to judging. Animals must be unblanketed and ready for inspection by the sifting committee at the announced time of sifting. The sifting committee will eliminate any animal which, in its judgment, is not qualified to compete. At the committee's recommendation, the Show may require these animals to be removed from the grounds. The sifting committee's decisions are final and protests will not be considered by the Show.

15. Security Personnel:

Exhibitors not cooperating with security personnel or Show officials in all matters of policy, including parking, will have their entries canceled and will be ordered to remove their exhibit from the grounds immediately.

16. Protests:

- Protest Filing:** All protests must be in writing and be accompanied by a \$300 deposit which will not be returned if protest is not sustained by Show Management. Protest must state plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and must be delivered to

the Show Management immediately after the occasion that prompted the protest. Protests will be accepted prior to, during and within 2 hours immediately following conclusion of judging. Protests concerning ages of animals must be filed with the Show Management prior to the day on which the animal(s) is/ are to be judged.

- b. **Protest Investigation:** Judging procedures will not be interrupted for protest investigation. Depending on the basis of the protest, a decision may be withheld until a complete investigation has been conducted.

17. Show Ring Competition:

- a. **Entry Numbers:** Each entry will be assigned a number. Exhibitors will receive corresponding cards with numbers which must be displayed by exhibitors during judging.
 - b. **Requirement to Show:** Animals properly entered in a show class and passed on by the sifting committee as eligible for competition must be brought into the show ring for competition. Exhibitors who refuse, without Show approval, to lead their animals for parade or for competition in the show ring will forfeit any prizes previously won. Also, refusing exhibitor may be barred from further participation in the Show and be required to remove their stock from the Show grounds immediately.
 - c. **Arena Promptness:** Judging will not be delayed for animals entering the arena late. An exhibit not presented promptly at the scheduled time is barred from competition in the class.
 - d. **Judging Contests:** When an exhibitor is called upon to furnish one or more animals for the students' judging contests, he or she will cooperate with the Show. Refusing to allow an animal to be used in this manner, without Show approval, will result in the forfeit of any prizes or such other action as the Show deems necessary. Selection will be made under the direction of the department superintendent.
 - e. **Disqualification:** If an animal is disqualified after having won awards or premiums, the animals placing below may be moved up to fill the vacated position.
18. **Photographs:** Exhibitors must present themselves and their animals, at the Show's request, for official photographs. Those photographs are the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Unofficial (i. e. personal) photographs may not be published without written approval of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Exhibitors wishing to purchase photographs must contact the Official Livestock Photographer.
19. **Removal of Animals:** The Show can remove any exhibit, animal, booth or show they deem unsuitable or objectionable, without furnishing reasons for the action. Fees already paid for space or stalls may be returned to the exhibitor at the discretion of Show Management. The decision of Show Management is final and exhibitor or purchaser has no recourse .
20. **Animal Welfare:** It is the responsibility of all exhibitors to provide proper and humane care and treatment to animals. Show Management reserves the right to disqualify and remove any exhibitor deemed to be in violation of this basic principle of animal husbandry.
21. **Animal/Exhibitor Disqualification:** To foster fair competition, to provide a level playing field and to protect the safety of food, the showing of unethically fitted livestock, livestock of any 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 that is FDA approved for its species is subject to disqualification if that animal tests positive for that drug upon arrival at Reliant Park. All animals must remain free and clear of all drug and chemical residues while on Show 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 species
 - use of injections
 - 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 any animal that has been administered during its life 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 Food and Drug

Administration (FDA) and/or the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) for slaughter animals 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 animal does not test positive for that drug upon arrival at Reliant Park. Animals must remain free and clear of all drug and chemical residues while on show grounds. 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 Show, exhibitor must agree to submit any animal entered by the exhibitor for inspection. Exhibitor agrees to have such animal submitted to any tests requested by the Show. Exhibitor also agrees that the opinion reached by the Show or its officials as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or over age shall be final and binding without recourse against the Show or any of its officers. Further, the Show specifically reserves the right to have tissue, blood or urine laboratory analysis made on any animal entered for competition. The conclusions reached by the laboratory shall be final and binding without recourse against the Show or any of its officers. 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 chemical may forfeit all rights and privileges to exhibit livestock in the future at the Show.
- f. **Unmanageable Animals:** The Show may disqualify any animal deemed unmanageable.
- g. **Nonadherence to Rules:** Any person found guilty of misrepresentation or not abiding by the Show rules will be disqualified and denied the privilege of showing in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
- h. **Emergency Treatment:** If an animal requires emergency treatment while on Show grounds, 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 Show veterinarian, but the official Show 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 Show Veterinarian, in agreement with Show Management, reserve the right to treat any animal if, in the opinion of the Official Show Veterinarian, it is in the best interest of the animal's health and well-being to be treated. If the Official Show Veterinarian administers treatment to an animal, and therefore uses any medication that does not meet the appropriate withdrawal and or elimination time, the animal will be determined ineligible for competition.

Treatment Cost: All treatment costs are the responsibility of the exhibitor.

- 22. **Release Times:** Exhibitors and their animals must remain at the Show until animals are released by Show Management. An animal on exhibition may not be removed from the grounds prior to its release time without a special order given by the Agricultural Exhibits Division. Release times are listed in the daily schedule. Any violation of this rule will cause forfeiture of all premiums earned by exhibitor.
- 23. **Exhibitor Badges:** Each officially entered exhibitor will receive an exhibitor badge. Anyone abusing the use of or transferring badges will forfeit the badge.

Exhibitor Conduct and Exhibit Area Rules

- 24. **Care of Property:** Owners and those in charge of property or livestock shall care for, guard, protect and preserve the same. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will not be held responsible for any loss or damage.
- 25. **Aisles/Passageways:** The aisles and passageways must be kept clear. No demonstrators, trophies, decorations, portals, fountains, signs, banners, advertising matter or exhibits of any kind or character are allowed in the aisles or public passageways. Nothing may be attached to the Show's building walls, posts or doors.
- 26. **Grounds Conduct:** The use of bikes, trikes, skateboards, and any other wheeled mode of transportation is prohibited on the showgrounds. Pedestrians always have the right of way.
- 27. **Signs:** Livestock exhibitors are permitted to display a sign over their exhibit to advertise their own herd. This sign shall be of a reasonable size so as not to obstruct the view of other exhibitors' signs or exhibits of livestock. Signs not larger than 22 x 28 inches may be used to advertise individual animals within an individual exhibit. The Show can remove any sign. "For Sale" signs are not allowed.
- 28. **Stall Cleanliness:** All stalls, pens and exhibition places must be cleaned before 7 a.m. each day and refuse disposed of as directed by the Show Management. For those exhibitors refusing to keep their stalls, pens and/or exhibits clean and neat, the Management reserves the right to have animals removed from grounds or have said stalls or pens properly cleaned with the cost to be charged to the exhibitor. Cleaning costs will be collected from the exhibitor before release is issued.

29. **Equipment:** Any equipment brought in to be used in the exhibit stall or space must comply with and be used in compliance with all Federal, State, and Municipal Occupational Safety and Health Regulations. The Show will determine what equipment is allowed on Show grounds.
- a. **Scales:** The Show will provide scales for the use of junior market exhibitors. Exhibitors are allowed to bring portable scales into the building if they are pad type scales with no sides and they are kept in the stall area. Any violation of this rule will cause scales to be confiscated.
 - b. **Fans:** Freestanding fans are not allowed outside the feed aisle between the tie rails. Hanging fans can only be attached to the tie rails.
 - c. **Generators:** Generators are not allowed.
 - d. **Trim Chutes:** Cattle trim chute permits are available for \$20 each to Open Show exhibitors. Cattle trim chutes are not allowed in main aisles. No trim chutes are allowed on grounds during Junior Show. Trim chutes are not provided. Trim chutes are considered to be free standing or have any of the following components: head gate, floor or wheels. Show Management reserves the right to determine what constitutes a trim chute.
30. **Hay/Feed:** Hay and feed may be purchased through the HLSR Feed Committee. Exhibitors who wish to bring their own hay, grain, mixtures or supplements will be permitted to do so. Exhibitors are requested to store no more than two days' supply of feed or hay in the barn at any time. Paid feed bills must be presented at the time releases are requested.
31. **Bedding:** Livestock will be bedded on material provided by the Show. No straw is allowed (exception: dairy cattle & tie outs). Bedding must not be removed from stalls.
32. **Livestock Display:** Livestock must be in designated stall or pen between 9 a.m. and 8 p.m. each day of the Show.
33. **Dogs:** Dogs are not allowed on Show grounds. (Exception: those dogs aiding the handicapped persons, under contract with the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, and dogs entered into the Sheepdog Trials.)
34. **Nurse Cows:** Nurse cows are not allowed on Show grounds.
35. **Good Herdsman Awards:** Rules, criteria and prizes for this competition are listed separately in this handbook.

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Animal Health Regulations

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo officials are allowed to impose animal health regulations that are more restrictive than those imposed by the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC). Specific TAHC regulations will supersede the Show requirements if there is a dispute between the two in which the Show rules are less restrictive than TAHC regulations.

The Show considers itself an interstate (accepting entries of livestock and poultry from within Texas and from other states) show for livestock entries. Exhibitors with livestock originating outside the state of Texas are encouraged to contact their state Animal Health officials to confirm specific requirements, if any, their state may impose on animals returning from a Texas show.

Routine Inspection Procedures (What the Exhibitor Should Expect)

1. Representatives of the Show should meet the incoming livestock vehicle at the entry gate to the livestock staging area.
2. All documents are to be examined and a visual inspection of the shipment is to be made. Be certain that certificates of veterinary inspection, EIA test information, permits, etc. are still valid. A visual exam of the animals is to be made to ensure that the animals described on the documents are the same as those in the shipment.
3. If shipments meet all entry requirements, allow the driver to proceed without delay. Return the certificates and other documents to the owner or driver.
4. If a shipment does not meet the requirements, the driver should pull the truck or trailer out of traffic's way. Contact Show security if problems occur. If animals must be unloaded, they must remain in a separate pen (holding area) away from other livestock. Individuals should be allowed to contact the Show Veterinarian or their own veterinarian to obtain the proper documents and/or tests. Documentation must be in writing – no corrections will be allowed by phone. Fax documents are permissible.
5. Consult the Show veterinarian if animals do not appear to be in good health when inspections are made.

Definitions

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection: In the past, these were usually called "health certificates." This document indicates that an accredited veterinarian inspected, tested, or immunized the animals in question as required by the TAHC. Cattle, sheep, goats, equine, swine, poultry, exotic livestock and ratites coming into the state for an interstate show must be accompanied by a certificate.

Entry Permit: This permit is issued by the TAHC and is needed for certain classes of livestock, poultry, exotic livestock and ratites to enter Texas. The permit is valid for 15 days. The Entry permit number must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection!

Interstate Show: The TAHC considers shows, fairs or exhibitions to be interstate if they allow livestock and poultry from other states to enter for exhibition and be held or exhibited in common facilities with Texas-origin livestock and poultry of the same species.

Intrastate Show: The TAHC considers show, fairs or exhibitions to be intrastate if they allow ONLY Texas animals, or if they require Texas livestock and poultry of the same species to be housed and exhibited apart from livestock and poultry from out of state.

Permits and General Requirements

Cattle

Texas Origin Breeding Cattle

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection current, within 30 (thirty) days.
2. Exhibition and Sale: Negative brucellosis test within 30 (thirty) days for cattle that are parturient, or post parturient or 18 months of age or older.
Exemption: Cattle from a certified brucellosis-free herd with a certificate of veterinary inspection stating the certified free herd number and the herd anniversary test date.
3. All dairy breed cattle, including steers and spayed heifers, shall be officially identified.

Out-of-State Origin Cattle

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



2. **Exhibition and Sale:** Negative brucellosis test within 30 (thirty) days for cattle that are parturient, or post parturient or 18 months of age or older.
Exemption: Cattle from a certified brucellosis-free herd with a certificate of veterinary inspection stating the certified free herd number and the herd anniversary test date.
3. Negative tuberculosis (TB) test within the past 60 (sixty) days with results noted on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.
Exemptions: A. Beef cattle from tuberculosis "Free" states.
B. Cattle from a tuberculosis free herd with a certificate of veterinary inspection stating the accreditation number and the herd anniversary test date.
C. Suckling calves from a negative dam.
4. All dairy breed cattle, including steers and spayed heifers, shall be officially identified.
5. All bulls entering for show purposes, which are (12) twelve months of age or older and capable of breeding may enter the state without testing or certification for trichomoniasis, but shall obtain a permit prior to entry. Bulls permitted for entry shall not be commingled with female cattle or used for breeding. Bulls that stay in the state more than (60) sixty days must be tested for trichomoniasis with an official culture test or official Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test.

Junior Market Steers

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is not required.

Junior Commercial Steers

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is not required.

Junior Breeding Beef/Scramble Heifers

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is required.

Goats

Texas Origin Goats & Out-of-State Origin Goats

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection current within 30 (thirty) days (excluding Youth Market Goats).
2. Sexually intact animals must have official USDA Scrapie Eradication Program Identification.
3. Registered animals may use a registration tattoo or electronic identification (accompanied by reader) "as official identification," as long as registration papers accompany the animal with the Scrapie Premise ID number.

Youth Market Goats

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection not required.

DOGS

DOGS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON THE SHOW GROUNDS because of safety and public health regulations. This rule will be strictly enforced and applies to exhibitors and their employees, as well as Show visitors. This rule does not apply to official dog entries in a sanctioned Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo competitive 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 Reliant Park. Certificate must state that the dog has had a rabies vaccination within one year.

POULTRY

Texas Origin Poultry (Does not include Youth Market Poultry)

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection current, within 30 (thirty) days.
2. 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).
3. **Domestic poultry must originate from a flock that is certified as Avian Influenza clean or from an Avian Influenza negative flock or tested according to TAHC requirements within 30 days of entry.**
4. Certification on Certificate of Veterinary Inspection that Laryngotracheitis has not been active in the area of origin in the past 30 days.
5. Vaccination must be with vaccines approved by USDA and TAHC. (Contact TAHC for a list of approved vaccines.) NOTE: No modified live virus chick embryo origin Laryngotracheitis (LT) vaccine and no modified live virus mycoplasma gallisepticum (MG) attenuated vaccine may be used on poultry entering the state.

Out-of-State Origin Poultry

1. Must meet the same requirements as Texas Origin Poultry.
2. **Prior entry permit issued by TAHC within 15 (fifteen) days.**

Youth Market Poultry

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection not required.
2. Must originate from a Texas NPIP Hatchery.
3. Broilers must originate from: Tyson Hatchery, 4186 FM 794, Gonzales, Texas 78269.
4. Turkeys must originate from: Gentry Hatchery, 750 West Third, Springdale, Arizona 72765.

SHEEP

Texas Origin Sheep

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection issued within 30 (thirty) days (excluding Youth Market Lambs).
2. Sexually intact animals must have official USDA Scrapie Eradication Program Identification.

Out-of-State Origin Sheep

1. Must meet the same requirements as for Texas Origin Sheep.
2. 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 ear tag 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. Exemption for rams from a certified brucella ovis-free flock and Texas origin rams; certified flock number must be recorded on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.
3. All blackface ovine females and all blackface crossbred females, except hair sheep, imported into the State of Texas for breeding purposes shall originate from a Scrapie Certified Free Flock or have documentation supporting that the animals are of the genotype RR at codon 171 or AA at codon 136 and QR at codon 171.

Youth Market Lambs

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection not required.

SWINE

Texas Origin 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 hog cholera or pseudorabies, and have not been vaccinated for pseudorabies.
2. Negative swine brucellosis test within 30 (thirty) days **is required on breeding swine, 6 months of age and older.** Exemption for swine from a validated brucellosis-free herd; validation number must be recorded on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.
3. Negative pseudorabies test within 30 (thirty) days. Exemption for:
 - A. Swine from a qualified pseudorabies-negative herd; qualified herd number must be recorded on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.
 - B. Swine direct from a farm of origin in a Stage IV or Free State. (*All states are currently Free.*)
4. 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.

Youth Market Barrows

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is not required.

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 breastbone 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 (wildebeast), 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 subfamily musk deer.

Texas Origin Camelidae

1. 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). The identification will be shown on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection along with the location and name brand of the implanted electronic device. **Owner must supply appropriate reader.** 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.
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 6 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 days apart; the second test must be conducted within 90 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. Originate from a qualified herd and have a classified negative 90 day tuberculosis test. If the qualifying herd test was administered within 90 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 day tuberculosis test, or;
 - D. Be less than 12 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

1. Must meet the same requirements as Texas Origin Exotic Livestock and Ratites.
2. Prior entry permit issued by TAHC within 15 (fifteen) days. The permit for entry is not required when livestock and ratites enter **for exhibition** and return to the state of origin.

Good Herdsman Awards

Prizes will be awarded in the junior livestock departments to the Herdsman, Shepherds, Caretakers, or Exhibitors in charge of livestock exhibits on an exhibit basis. A committee will make inspections to determine the winners. The following points will be considered:

1. Orderliness and cleanliness of quarters, stalls, and animals.
2. Promptness in having stalls or pens cleaned by 7 a.m. each day. The name of the exhibit must be clearly posted as soon as the animals are stalled to be eligible.
3. Systematic and neat arrangement of traps, feed and forage, and keeping same out of the aisles.
4. Exhibitors are not allowed to water rubber matting in aisles.
5. Personal appearance of herdsman and helpers.
6. Observance of all rules and regulations.
7. Must show at least one (1) animal in the arena. "Display Only" exhibits are not eligible.
8. Cooperation with Show officials in promoting the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo in general.
9. Number of animals and caretakers per exhibit. Minimum of three (3) animals per exhibit to be eligible (excluding single Junior Dairy exhibitor).
10. Cooperating with other exhibitors and exhibiting an attitude of good sportsmanship in general.

These departments will be judged separately, and the exhibits in each department that are declared winners will receive the following cash awards. No awards for ties will be given.

Open Show Good Herdsman Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd-4th
Beef & Dairy Cattle (each breed)	Plaque	Rosette

Junior Show Good Herdsman Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Steers	\$800	\$500	\$300	\$200	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100
Heifers	\$800	\$500	\$300	\$200	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100
Dairy – (Group of more than 1 exhibitor)	\$500	\$300	\$250	\$200						
Dairy - Individual	\$300	\$250	\$200	\$150						

- Minimum of 3 animals per exhibit (excluding individual dairy exhibitors)

Good Herdsman Award to CEA/AST

The supervising CEA/AST of the winning club or chapter participating in the Junior Heifer Show and Junior Market Steer Show will receive an official trophy buckle. In addition, the club or chapter will receive the premiums listed in the Junior Show Good Herdsman Premium Schedule. These awards are donated by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee.

Open Breeding Beef, Specialty and Youth Cattle

Department A, A1, and A2

Superintendent – James Roden - Denton, Texas

Assistant Superintendents –

David Wolfe – Cotulla, TX and Albert Wright – Robstown, TX

Special Rules for All Open Breeding Beef, Specialty, and Youth Cattle Shows

1. Entries and awards in this department are subject to the General Rules and Regulations of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and to the Special Rules of respective breeds as published in this book.
2. Animals must be properly tattooed, and tattoos must match the original registration papers. Any animal which does not have a legible tattoo corresponding to its registration certificate at check-in is ineligible to show. Once disqualified, animals cannot be re-tattooed and re-checked at the Show. Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate on each animal available for inspection by the Show Superintendent.
3. Cattle must be entered for one of the following approved purposes: (1) breed classification show, (2) display only, (3) commercial exhibit or (4) sale purposes only.
4. Exhibitors who have non-approved cattle in the building will be asked to remove such cattle from the premises and will forfeit all prizes.
5. Open Show Breeding and Specialty Cattle exhibitors also will be allowed to enter a maximum of two head of cattle for display purposes only. These cattle may be of a different breed or percentage blooded animals, or of the same breed the exhibitor is entering for competition purposes (i.e., herd bulls, half blood animals in promotion of new breeds, example of cross breeding within a breeders program).
6. Display only cattle must be entered in the Show at the same time as the exhibitor's competition cattle and will be stalled with the exhibitor's cattle. Entry must be made on entry form or on-line and must include the animal pedigree which will indicate the breed and age of the animal. Entry fee must be included with the Open Show cattle entry fees, and this entry fee will be \$100 per animal.
7. Display only cattle must arrive and depart with the exhibitor's competition cattle according to the breed schedule listed in the daily schedule of the Show.
8. This classification is being established to help the purebred cattle breeders better market their animals; however, it must be noted that "For Sale" signs will not be allowed on exhibit stalls.
9. Official photographs of champions of each breed will be made at the end of each sex division. Exhibitors will cooperate with superintendents and photographers.
10. All bulls, regardless of age, must be shown with a nose ring lead. Nose rings may be permanent or snap type unless breed association rules state otherwise.

Angus

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$250
American Angus Association.	\$250
Total Premium Available.....	\$500

Judge – Quintin Smith - Lebanon, TN

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Show:	Wednesday	March 2	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Wednesday	March 2	noon
Must Be Out By:	Wednesday	March 2	5 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Angus Show

1. The American Angus Association, 3201 Frederick Ave., St. Joseph, MO 64506, (816)383-5100, will participate in premiums based on number of head shown (**2010 Show, >50hd, \$350 Premium**) at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo where the association's standard classifications are used. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
2. Exhibitors must have the original registration certificate issued by the American Angus Association available for inspection at the show for each animal or another current proof of ownership issued by the American Angus Association pedigree look up. 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.
3. 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.
4. Only one person at a time shall lead an animal into the show ring.
5. 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 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.
6. 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.
7. 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 line up areas.
8. 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.
9. 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.

Angus Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd
A:	\$10	\$5

Open Angus Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 6/1/10 and after	(Premium A)
2. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 - 5/31/10	(Premium A)
3. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
4. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
5. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 2/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
6. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10- 1/31/10	(Premium A)
7. JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
8. RESERVE JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
9. Late Senior Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
10. Early Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
11. SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
12. RESERVE SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
13. Late Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
14. Early Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
15. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
16. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
17. April Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 4/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
18. March Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 - 3/31/09	(Premium A)
19. Early Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 2/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
20. Early Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 1/1/09 - 1/31/09	(Premium A)
21. JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
22. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
23. Late Senior Yearling Females	calved 11/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
24. Early Senior Yearling Females	calved 9/1/08 - 10/31/08	(Premium A)
25. SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
26. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
27. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
28. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

Any female that qualifies for female classes in the Associations standard classifications are not eligible to show in the cow/calf classes.

COW/CALF CLASSES

29. Cow/Calf Class: (3 year old and younger) Calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf and be no more than 280 days of age on day of Show.	calved 1/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
30. Cow/Calf Class (4 year old and older) Calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf and be no more than 280 days of age on day of Show.	calved 12/31/07 or earlier	(Premium A)
31. GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR		(Banner & Trophy)
32. RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR		(Banner & Trophy)

* Added classes will receive no premiums.

Grand and Reserve Champion cow/calf pairs do not show for Grand Champion Female and are ineligible to compete in the get-of-sire, junior get-of-sire, and breeder's six head class.

BULL CLASSES

33. Junior Bull Calves	calved 6/1/2010 and after	(Premium A)
34. Junior Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
35. Junior Bull Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
36. Junior Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
37. Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
38. JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
39. RESERVE JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
40. Late Senior Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
41. Early Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
42. SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
43. RESERVE SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)

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Open Angus Show

44. Late Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
45. Early Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
46. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
47. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
48. April Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 4/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
49. March Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 - 3/31/09	(Premium A)
50. Early Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
51. JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
52. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
53. Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
54. Summer Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
55. Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	(Premium A)
56. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
57. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
58. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
59. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

60. Junior Get-of-Sire: Three animals by one sire, both sexes represented, shown in classes:
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 12, 13, 32, 33, 34, 35, 38, 39, 42, 43. (Banner)
61. Get-of-sire: Four animals by one sire shown in the above classes, both sexes represented. (Banner)
62. Breeder's Best-Six-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 breeders 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). (Banner)

Beefmaster Promotion Group International Show

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$1,600
Beefmaster Promotion Group.	\$1,600
Total Premium Available.....	\$3,200

Judge – Randy Daniel – Colbert, Georgia

Begin Arrival:	Thursday	March 3	7 a.m.
In Place:	Thursday	March 3	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Thursday	March 3	7 p.m.
Sale:	Thursday	March 3	7 p.m.
Show:	Friday	March 4	2:30 p.m.
Begin Release:	Saturday	March 5	7 a.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	noon

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open International Beefmaster Show

1. Beefmaster Promotion Group, 1004 CR 333, Rockdale, TX 76567, pays 50 percent of the premiums awarded for this show. Total premium payments are made directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™.
2. Exhibitors must be members of the Beefmaster Promotion Group.
3. 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.
4. Animals entered in group classes, must have been shown in an individual class.
5. Heifers exhibited at 24 months of age or older must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy.
6. 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.
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. Animals shall be shown with their hair coats lying downward in a natural state that is flat to the entire body, which includes the legs and tailhead.

Beefmaster Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
A:	\$40	\$30	\$25	15

Open International Beefmaster Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1.	Summer Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
2.	Late Spring Heifer Calves	calved 4/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
3.	Early Spring Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 – 3/31/10	(Premium A)
4.	Junior Heifer Calves	calved 2/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
5.	Early Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 – 1/31/10	(Premium A)
6.	CHAMPION HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
7.	RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
8.	Late Senior Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
9.	Early Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
10.	Late Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
11.	Early Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
12.	INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
13.	RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
14.	Spring Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 4/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
15.	Late Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 – 3/31/09	(Premium A)
16.	Early Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 2/1/09 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
17.	Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 1/1/09 – 1/31/09	(Premium A)
18.	JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
19.	RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
20.	Late Senior Yearling Females	calved 11/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
21.	Early Senior Yearling Females	calved 9/1/08 – 10/31/08	(Premium A)
22.	SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
23.	RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
24.	GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
25.	RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

BULL CLASSES

26.	Summer Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 and after	(Premium A)
27.	Late Spring Bull Calves	calved 4/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
28.	Early Spring Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 – 3/31/10	(Premium A)
29.	Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
30.	CHAMPION BULL CALF		(Banner)
31.	RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF		(Banner)
32.	Late Senior Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
33.	Early Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
34.	Late Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
35.	Early Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
36.	INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
37.	RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
38.	April Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 4/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
39.	March Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 – 3/31/09	(Premium A)
40.	Early Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
41.	JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
42.	RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
43.	Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
44.	Summer Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/08 – 8/31/08	(Premium A)
45.	Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 – 4/30/08	(Premium A)
46.	SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
47.	RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
48.	GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
49.	RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
50.	Get-of-Sire: Three animals, all by one sire, both sexes represented. No ownership required.		(Banner)
51.	Produce-of-Dam: Two animals, either or both sexes, produced by one dam. No ownership required.		(Banner)

National Braford

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$900
United Braford Breeders.....	\$1,600
Total Premium Available.....	\$2,500

Judge – Cheramie Viator - Kiowa, CO

Begin Arrival:	Thursday	March 3	7 a.m.
In Place:	Thursday	March 3	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Thursday	March 3	7 p.m.
Weigh & Measure:	Friday	March 4	10 a.m.
Sale:	Friday	March 4	7:30 p.m.
Show:	Saturday	March 5	12:30 p.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 6	7 a.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	6 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open National Braford Show

1. A \$20 per animal entry fee must be paid to the United Braford Breeders (UBB). This is in addition to the \$30 entry fee paid to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Send the following items to the United Braford Breeders, 422 East Main, No. 218, Nacogdoches, TX 75961, postmarked by Jan. 16, 2011: an entry fee of \$20 per animal and a copy of each completed Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo entry application. If these items are not submitted to the UBB by the Jan. 16, 2011, postmark deadline, exhibitors will owe an additional \$10 late fee making a \$30 per entry total due to the UBB. All group class entries must be included on the Open Show Entry Application. They must be pre-entered with Houston entry fees paid. No group class entry fees are owed to the UBB. Late entries must pay the UBB fee prior to the time of weighing and measuring entries. If entry is submitted online, send summary page and fee payments to UBB.
 2. The UBB pays \$1600 of the premium money for this show. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
 3. Animals must be registered by the United Braford Breeders to compete in this association-sponsored show. Owners must be members of United Braford Breeders in good standing. Cattle must be classified as Braford to be eligible to show. No F-1, multiple generation half-blood, 3/4 Hereford, 3/4 Brahman, Single Bar or other percentage cattle will be accepted.
 4. The National Braford Show is the first of four UBB sanctioned open Braford point shows that constitute the Braford Show Animals of the Year recognition program.
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1. An animal found to have evidence of incisions, surgical or otherwise, in the following areas: testicles, sheath, navel, or dewlap will be disqualified from showing.
 2. Animals unethically fitted to alter the conformation or appearance of the animal will be disqualified. Cattle displaying tail ties and hairnets used on the tail will be allowed.
 3. Calves shown at the side of Braford cows must be registered purebred Brafords.
 8. All Braford entries are subject to the provision of a rule of the United Braford Breeders entitled **"Inspection of Exhibits."**
 - a. The association and its representatives have the authority to require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification and pedigree of exhibited animals. "Said authority shall extend to and cover the enforcement of all Show rules as adopted by the UBB."
 - b. Each exhibitor shall submit his registered Braford cattle to such tests and examinations as requested and/or required by the association, its authorized representatives, or the authorized representatives of the relevant show. These tests and examinations shall include but are not limited to any weighing, measuring, or ultrasound evaluation of the animals as required by the UBB's Show Committee.
 - c. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any Braford function, exhibitor hereby releases the Association, its officers, directors, and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and the resulting decisions therefrom.

Open National Braford Show

- d. Dental inspection: All entries may be classified for judging on an age basis and should be entered in class according to age. Teeth may be inspected by a veterinarian designated by the UBB in order to determine whether dental development is within allowable limits for the class so entered. If the veterinarian determines that in his opinion dental development exceeds maximum allowable limits, the animal shall be moved to an older class as determined by the veterinarian and shall remain in that class until determined otherwise by subsequent mouthing or favorable appeal to the Show Committee. If it is not possible to move an animal, the animal may not be exhibited in such Show.
- e. Any exhibitor desiring to dispute or challenge the results of any such test, exam or show rule enforcement, as applied to his animal, shall do so in accordance with procedures established by the rules of the association.
- f. Appeal: An appeal from the decision of the veterinarian or designated association representatives designated by the UBB under sections 1 and 4 of the Inspection of Exhibits may be made to the Show Committee of the UBB if the following written appeal with the UBB Show Committee as soon as possible after the veterinarian's or designated association representative's decision was made. If an appeal satisfying the foregoing requirements is filed with the UBB Show Committee, the Committee shall hold a hearing at which the appealing party and the veterinarian or designated association representatives whose decision is being appealed shall present statements and other evidence that are relevant to the matter, following which the Show Committee shall render a decision which shall be final and conclusive.

National Braford Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
A:	\$30	\$25	\$16	\$12

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Summer Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 and after	(Premium A)
2. Last Spring Heifer Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
3. Early Spring Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
4. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 2/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
5. Early Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 1/31/10	(Premium A)
6. CHAMPION HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
7. RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
8. Winter Heifer Calves	calved 10/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
9. Senior Heifer Calves	calved 8/1/09 - 9/30/09	(Premium A)
10. CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
11. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
12. Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 - 7/31/09	(Premium A)
13. Late Spring Yearling Heifers	calved 4/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
14. Early Spring Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 - 3/31/09	(Premium A)
15. Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 1/1/09 - 2/29/09	(Premium A)
16. CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER		(Banner)
17. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER		(Banner)
18. Late Senior Yearling Females	calved 10/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
19. Early Senior Yearling Females	calved 8/1/08 - 9/30/08	(Premium A)
20. CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING FEMALE		(Banner)
21. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING FEMALE		(Banner)
22. GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

Open National Braford Show

BULL CLASSES

24. Summer Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 and after	(Premium A)
25. Late Spring Bull Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
26. Early Spring Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
27. Junior Bull Calves	calved 2/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
28. Early Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 1/31/10	(Premium A)
29. CHAMPION BULL CALF		(Banner)
30. RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF		(Banner)
31. Winter Bull Calves	calved 10/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
32. Senior Bull Calves	calved 8/1/09 - 9/30/09	(Premium A)
33. CHAMPION FALL BULL CALF		(Banner)
34. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL BULL CALF		(Banner)
35. Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 - 7/31/09	(Premium A)
36. Late Spring Yearling Bulls	calved 4/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
37. Early Spring Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 - 3/31/09	(Premium A)
38. Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 - 2/29/09	(Premium A)
39. CHAMPION YEARLING BULL		(Banner)
40. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING BULL		(Banner)
41. Late Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 10/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
42. Early Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 8/1/08 - 9/30/08	(Premium A)
43. Two-Year-Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 7/31/08	(Premium A)
44. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
45. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
46. GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
47. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BRAFORD BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

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| <p>48. Produce-of-dam:
Two animals shown in single entry classes, either sex, from one dam, may be owned by more than one exhibitor.</p> <p>49. Get-of-sire:
Four animals shown in single entry classes, both sexes represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor.</p> <p>50. Best-six-head:
All animals must have been shown in their respective single entry classes and they must be owned by the exhibitor or by an immediate family member.</p> | <p>(Premium A & Banner)</p> <p>(Premium A & Banner)</p> <p>(Premium A & Banner)</p> |
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International Brahman Show

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$6,500
American Brahman Breeders Association	\$6,500
Total To Be Applied to Trophies ONLY	\$13,000

Judge – Randall Tipp – Sealy, TX

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Weigh & Measure	Tuesday	March 1	8 a.m.
International Sale:	Wednesday	March 2	6:30 p.m.
Show (Females):	Thursday	March 3	8:00 a.m.
Show (Bulls):	Friday	March 4	8:00 a.m.
Begin Release:	Saturday	March 5	7 a.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	noon

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for International Brahman Show

1. The American Brahman Breeders Association (ABBA), 3003 South Loop West, Suite 520, Houston, TX 77054, (713) 349-0854, is offering shows for Red Brahman and Grey Brahman cattle. All classes and premium support will be the same for both shows. Both shows will be held on the same date, at the same time and judged by the same judge.
2. Animals must be registered in the American Brahman Breeders Association to be eligible to compete in association-sponsored shows. 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.
3. The following procedure will be used to determine entry into the Red Brahman or Grey Brahman division:
 - a. Grey cattle and solid black cattle will show Grey.
 - b. Red, black and white speckled, or red and white speckled cattle will show Red.
 - c. 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 and color of said animal will then be used to aid in the final determination. In those cases where questionable colored cattle possess both Red and Grey breeding, the committee will make the final determination. The decision of the committee is final.
 - d. At split shows where the Color Committee is not present, a staff member with two ABBA directors will clarify questionable colored cattle for that particular Show. The final classification will be done by the Color Committee.
 - e. Once animals have been classified, they will remain in that classification unless they were young at the time of classification and it is apparent that they have changed color.
 - f. In the group 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 (Effective July 1, 2006).
4. The champions of these two Shows (Red Brahman and Grey Brahman) will not compete against one another for Grand Champion Brahman.
5. In lieu of premiums, trophies will be provided for all classes and ribbons for places 1-10.
6. The cattle will be judged in the following order:
 - a. The Brahman Show will begin with the Group classes. Group classes will be judged with Red Produce-of-Dam followed by Red Get-of-Sire and Grey Produce-of-Dam followed by Grey Get-of-Sire.
 - b. Then the Red Female classes will enter the ring. Calf classes will be judged through Calf Champion and Reserve Calf Champion.
 - c. Then the Grey classes will enter the ring and judge through Calf Champion and Reserve Calf Champion.
 - d. This procedure will be alternated between Red and Grey Shows until all age champions have been selected.
 - e. After this, Calf Champion, Junior Champion, and Senior Champion Females of the Red and Grey Shows will be brought back to the ring at the same time. The judge will then select the Champion Red Female and Champion Grey Female and announce the winners at the same time. The same will occur for Reserve Champion Females.

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- f. The above procedure will be followed in the bull judging, beginning with the Red classes and alternating between Red and Grey Shows.
7. The judge will use the ABBA Standard of Excellence to judge both the Red and Grey Brahman Shows. All other Special Rules listed will apply to both Shows.
8. Entries that have not complied with the rules stated above will not be eligible to show, receive premium monies, or earn points in the Association's Register of Renown.
9. 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 up cattle numerically in the same order.
10. Judges will be allowed to comment on placings in selected classes when conditions permit.
11. Each animal will be presented in the showing in its natural confirmation 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 internally for cosmetic purposes, steroids, growth hormones, or stimulants shall be prohibited. If to the satisfaction of the ABBA staff, officers, executive committee or board of directors and animal that has had its natural conformation or structure altered or been administered steroids, growth hormones or stimulants; then the 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 & fitter will be ineligible to exhibit cattle at ABBA Approved Shows for 5 years.
12. In cases where families, companies, corporations, etc. are operated as a unit under the same management, but have cattle also registered in the names 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 and will not be shown in the name of the individuals.
13. For females being shown in the three oldest classes (females calved Jan. 1, 2008 - Dec. 31, 2008), exhibitor must have a certificate of pregnancy issued by a licensed veterinarian that 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. Females exhibited in the last class at the spring shows MUST have a calf at side.
14. 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 by the ring steward for those cows whose calves are ineligible to show by this rule.
15. All bulls will be shown with a nose ring or nose restraint with lead attached.
16. For bulls being shown in the oldest class, the exhibitor must have a certificate issued by a licensed veterinarian stating that the bull has produced viable semen. This certificate must be available for inspection by the judge on request.
17. No exhibitor shall be permitted to show more than one Produce or Embryo Produce-of-Dam entry per dam.
18. Close family relations (mother-daughter, brother-sister, or father-son) will not be allowed to judge each other's cattle.
19. No judge may enter the judging arena unless showing that they are employed to judge the specific show or involved in the management of said show.
20. The owner of record of any registered animal entered in an ABBA approved show and/or his agent, exhibitor, fitter, handler and/or representative releases ABBA and its representatives from any and all liability of any kind sustained before, during or after handling cattle for any ABBA board approved activity.
21. Animals to be eligible to be shown in group classes must be entered and shown in individual class.
22. All cattle in the Calf & Intermediate Divisions must be weighed and measured at the designated time and meet the ABBA weight standards to be eligible to show.
23. In an effort to comply with the demands of the American beef industry and to improve the uniformity of the show ring the ABBA Show Committee recently met and passed that all animals in the Calf & Intermediate Division will be weighed and measured. Any animals who do not meet the following standards will be sifted and will be ineligible to show at any future ABBA Approved Shows.

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- a. Any animal that exceeds the weight & measurement requirements at the International Brahman Show, National Brahman Show or any other designated show where weights and 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 animals for 13 months following the infraction.
- b. All animals who have previously met the weight and measurement requirements are eligible for their remaining show career. All previously qualified animals must be weighed and measured at any designated show where weights and measurements are taken for the collection of data only. Once animals have met the weight and measurement parameters they must have their original registration certificate or original ABBA Copy denoted as such by ABBA.
- c. Any animal that does not meet the weight or measurement parameter must be re-weighed or re-measured immediately after coming off the scale only one time at the scale previously weighed/measured on for qualification.
- d. The hip height measurement will be taken directly over the hook bone.

Females

Class		Min wt.	Max wt.	Max HH
1	7 mos. (Aug. 2010)		615	50.75
1	8 mos. (July 2010)		700	51.75
2	9 mos. (June 2010)		770	52.50
2	10 mos. (May 2010)		850	53.25
3	11 mos. (April 2010)	550	925	54.00
4	12 mos. (March 2010)	600	1000	54.75
5	13 mos. (Feb. 2010)	700	1075	55.50
5	14 mos. (Jan. 2010)	700	1150	56.00
8	15 mos.(Dec. 2009)	800	1200	56.25
8	16 mos.(Nov. 2009)	800	1250	56.50
9	17 mos. (Oct. 2009)	850	1300	56.75
9	18 mos. (Sept. 2009)	850	1350	57.00
10	19 mos. (Aug. 2009)	900	1400	57.25
10	20 mos. (July 2009)	900	1450	57.50
11	21 mos. (June 2009)	950	1500	57.75
11	22 mos. (May 2009)	950	1550	58.00

Bulls

Class	Min wt.	Max wt.	Max Ht.
25 7 mos. (Aug. 2010)		725	51.50
25 8 mos. (July 2010)		825	52.50
26 9 mos. (June 2010)		925	53.50
26 10 mos. (May 2010)		1025	54.50
27 11 mos. (April 2010)	600	1100	55.50
28 12 mos. (March 2010)	700	1200	56.50
29 13 mos. (Feb. 2010)	750	1300	57.25
29 14 mos. (Jan. 2010)	750	1375	58.00
32 15 mos. (Dec. 2009)	900	1450	58.75
32 16 mos. (Nov. 2009)	900	1525	59.50
33 17 mos. (Oct. 2009)	1050	1600	60.00
33 18 mos. (Sept. 2009)	1050	1675	60.50
34 19 mos. (Aug. 2009)	1150	1750	60.75
34 20 mos. (July 2009)	1150	1825	61.00
35 21 mos. (June 2009)	1250	1900	61.25
35 22 mos. (May 2009)	1250	1975	61.50

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NOTE: These classes will be the same for the Red Brahman Show and the Grey Brahman Show.

FEMALE CLASSES

	Red (Group A) – Grey (Group C)	
1. Summer Heifer Calves	calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10	
2. Late Spring Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 - 6/30/10	
3. Spring Heifer Calves	calved 4/1/10 – 4/30/10	
4. Late Junior Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 – 3/31/10	
5. Early Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	
6. CALF CHAMPION, 1 st place winners in classes 1-4.		(Banner & Trophy)
7. RESERVE CALF CHAMPION, 2 nd place winner of class that produced Calf Champion eligible to compete for reserve.		(Banner & Trophy)
8. Late Senior Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	
9. Early Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	
10. Late Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	
11. Early Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	
12. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION, 1 st place winners of classes 7-10.		(Banner & Trophy)
13. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION, 2 nd place winner of class that produced Intermediate Champion eligible to compete for reserve.		(Banner & Trophy)
14. Late Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 4/1/09 – 4/30/09	
15. Late Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 – 3/31/09	
16. Early Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 1/1/09 – 2/28/09	
17. JUNIOR CHAMPION, 1 st place winners of classes 13-15.		(Banner & Trophy)
18. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION, 2 nd place winner of class that produced Junior Champion eligible to compete for reserve.		(Banner & Trophy)
19. Late Senior Yearling Heifers *	calved 9/1/08 – 12/31/08	
20. Aged Summer Heifers *	calved 5/1/08 – 8/31/08	
21. Aged Spring Heifers **	calved 1/1/08 – 4/30/08	
22. SENIOR CHAMPION, 1 st place winners of classes 18-20.		(Banner & Trophy)
23. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION, 2 nd place winner of class that produced Senior Champion eligible to compete for reserve.		(Banner & Trophy)
24. GRAND CHAMPION – Calf, Intermediate, Junior, and Senior Champion competing.		(Banner & Trophy)
25. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION – Reserve to Grand Champion eligible to compete.		(Banner & Trophy)

*Must be examined safe in calf ** Must have calf at side

BULL CLASSES

	Red (Group B) — Grey (Group D)	
26. Summer Bull Calves	calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10	
27. Late Spring Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 - 6/30/10	
28. Spring Bull Calves	calved 4/1/10 – 4/30/10	
29. Late Junior Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 – 3/31/10	
30. Early Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	
31. CALF CHAMPION, 1 st place winners of classes 25-28.		(Banner & Trophy)
32. RESERVE CALF CHAMPION, 2 nd place winner of class that produced Calf Champion eligible to compete for reserve.		(Banner & Trophy)
33. Late Senior Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	
34. Early Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	
35. Late Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	
36. Early Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	
37. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION, 1 st place winners of classes 31-34.		(Banner & Trophy)
38. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION, 2 nd place winner of class that produced Intermediate Champion eligible to compete for reserve.		(Banner & Trophy)
39. Late Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 4/1/09 – 4/30/09	
40. Late Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 – 3/31/09	
41. Early Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 – 2/29/09	
42. JUNIOR CHAMPION, 1 st place winners of classes 37-39.		(Banner & Trophy)
43. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION, 2 nd place winner of class that produced Junior Champion eligible to compete for reserve.		(Banner & Trophy)
44. Late Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	
45. Aged Summer Bulls	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	
46. Aged Spring Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	
47. SENIOR CHAMPION, 1st place winners of classes 42-44.		(Banner & Trophy)
48. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION, 2nd place winner of class that produced Senior Champion eligible to compete for reserve.		(Banner & Trophy)
49. GRAND CHAMPION – Calf, Intermediate, Junior, and Senior Champion competing.		(Banner & Trophy)
50. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION – Reserve to Grand Champion eligible to compete.		(Banner & Trophy)

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GROUP CLASSES

All group classes may also be composed of animals that are owned by more than one breeder if those breeders are co-owners of the sire and dam.

- 51. Produce-of-Dam: Two natural born animals produced by one dam from the above classes.
Either or both sexes may be represented. No ownership requirement. (Banner)
- 52. Embryo Produce-of-Dam: Two animals from the above classes produced by one dam by embryo transfer.
Either or both sexes may be represented. (Banner)
- 53. Get-of-Sire: Four animals from at least two dams by one sire from the above individual classes,
both sexes represented. No ownership requirement. (Banner)

NO EXHIBITOR SHALL BE PERMITTED TO SHOW MORE THAN ONE PRODUCE OR EMBYRO-PRODUCE-OF-DAM PER DAM.

ALL GROUP CLASSES WILL BE SHOWN AT THE FRONT OF THE SHOW BEFORE ANY INDIVIDUAL CLASSES.

International Brangus & Red Brangus

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$3,000
International Brangus Breeders Association	\$3,000
Total Premium Available	\$6,000

Judge – Christy Collins – Oklahoma City, OK


Begin Arrival:	Thursday	March 3	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Thursday	March 3	5 p.m.
Weigh and Measure:	Thursday	March 3	5:30 p.m.
Checked In By:	Thursday	March 3	7 p.m.
Show (Bulls):	Friday	March 4	2:30 p.m.
Show (Females):	Saturday	March 5	12:30 p.m.
Sale:	Saturday	March 5	7:30 p.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 6	7 a.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	6 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for the International Brangus Show

1. The International Brangus Breeders Association, P.O. Box 696020, San Antonio, TX 78269, Ph. 210/696-8231, pays 50 percent of the premiums for this show. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
2. Animals must be registered in the International Brangus Breeders Association (IBBA) to be eligible to compete in an IBBA-sponsored show. Animals recorded in the IBBA appendix registry are disqualified. The registration certificate (or photocopy) for each entry must be available for presentation to the Superintendent or show manager at the time entries are verified prior to judging.
3. The IBBA, and its representatives, have the authority to require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification and pedigree of exhibited Brangus animals. Said authority shall extend to, and cover the enforcement of, all show rules as adopted by the IBBA.
4. The registration number, permanent animal identification number (brand or tattoo), birth date, and sire of each animal entered in an individual class must be listed on the entry form.
5. All calves exhibited at the side of a Brangus female must be registered with the IBBA and meet all rules required for show eligibility and inspections of exhibits.
6. Animals eligible to be shown in group classes must be entered and shown in respective individual classes. Cows exhibited in the cow/calf classes are not eligible for the group classes.
7. Prior to check-in, heads of breeding animals must be clipped of all hair (including topknots) and be free of scurs and/or slick spots.

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8. Any animal found to have scurs and/or slick spots, or evidence of incisions, surgical or otherwise, in the following areas: head, testicles, sheath, navel, or dewlap, will be disqualified from showing. Animals with illegal white (white in front of the navel) or any indication of brindling (a color pattern characterized by red streaks mingled with black) are ineligible for show. Any animal upon check in which does not have a legible tattoo or brand corresponding to its registration certificate is ineligible to show. Once disqualified due to incorrect or illegible tattoo/brand, animals cannot be re-tattooed and rechecked at show. The brand/tattoo can be corrected and rechecked at the next available show.
9. All females 20 months of age or older exhibited at IBBA sanctioned shows, must have available at the time of check-in, a certificate of pregnancy issued by an accredited, non-owner veterinarian, or blood test results certificate. If the female is open due to being in an embryo transfer program, this fact must be certified in a written statement by a non-owner embryologist. If verification cannot be produced, the female may be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site and verify pregnancy.
10. Any Brangus animal recorded in the IBBA registry that has a "Parentage Dispute" listed in its first three-generation pedigree is ineligible for participation in Brangus shows and exhibitions. If the dispute is resolved, the listing will be removed from the pedigree and show eligibility will be restored.
11. In IBBA sanctioned shows, no animal may be shown that has been artificially filled with any amount of liquid at any time once the animal enters the grounds of a show. The fitter or ranch entity involved with an animal being artificially filled will be banned from the show ring for one year and the animal will be disqualified from exhibition at that particular show. The official show veterinarian may administer liquids orally, if so needed without disqualifying animal(s) from exhibition.
12. 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 animal will be disqualified. Tail ties and hairnets used on the tail and switch are the only exceptions.
-  13. Paint or coloring agents of any kind are not to be used on any animal exhibited at IBBA sponsored shows. The use of aerosol products of any kind will not be permitted in the line-up area for the show. Animals will be towed in the line-up area prior to entering the show ring. Animals found in violation of these policies will be disqualified from showing.
14. All Brangus bulls 15 months of age or older that are exhibited at IBBA sponsored shows must have passed a fertility examination given by a licensed veterinarian to be eligible to show. The results of the examination must be available at check-in. Once a bull has a positive examination on file with IBBA, retesting is not required.
15. Entries that have not complied with all of the above rules will not be eligible to show, to receive premium monies, or earn points in the IBBA's Show Sire of the Year, Show Bull of the Year, and Show Heifer of the Year awards.
16. All IBBA and IJBBA member will abide by the show rules as adopted. In addition, any show, fair, event, or display in which Brangus cattle participate should follow these rules as adopted by IBBA. All Brangus entries are subject to the provision of a rule of the IBBA entitled "Inspection of Exhibits".

INSPECTION OF EXHIBITS

1. The IBBA and its representative have the authority to require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification and pedigree of exhibited Brangus animals. Said authority shall extend to and cover the enforcement of all show rules as adopted by IBBA.
2. Each exhibitor shall submit his or her registered Brangus cattle to such tests and examinations as requested and/or required by the IBBA, its authorized representatives, or those of the relevant show.
3. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any Brangus function each exhibitor hereby releases the Association, its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits, and judgments past, present, or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and the resulting decision there from.
4. Dental Inspection: All entries may be classified for judging on an age basis and should be entered in class according to age. Teeth may be inspected by a veterinarian designated by the IBBA in order to determine whether dental development is within allowable limits for the class so entered. If the veterinarian determines that in his opinion dental development exceeds maximum allowable limits, the animal shall be moved to an older class as determined by the veterinarian and shall remain in that class until determined otherwise by subsequent mouthing or favorable appeal to the Executive Committee. If it is not possible to move an animal, the animal may not be exhibited in such show.

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5. Any exhibitor desiring to dispute or challenge the results of any such test, exam, or show rule enforcement, as applied to his animals, shall do so in accordance with procedures established by the rules of the IBBA.
6. Appeal: An appeal from the decision of the veterinarian or designated association representatives designated by the IBBA under sections 1 and 4 of the Inspection of Exhibits may be made to the Executive Committee of the IBBA if the following requirements are satisfied: 1) the appeal is in writing and is signed by the appealing party; and 2) the appealing party files the written appeal with the IBBA. Executive Committee as soon as possible after the veterinarian's or designated association representative's decision is rendered and in any event within six (6) hours of the time the veterinarian's or designated association representative's decision was made. If an appeal satisfying the foregoing requirements is filed with the IBBA Executive Committee, the Executive Committee shall hold a hearing at which the appealing party and the veterinarian or designated association representatives whose decision is being appealed shall present statements and other evidence that are relevant to the matter, following which the Executive Committee shall render a decision which shall be final and conclusive.

IBBA BLOOD/DNA TYPING FOR PARENTAGE VERIFICATION

Each Brangus animal for which an entry application or registration is received may be subjected to a DNA/blood typing test in order to verify both accuracy of parentage and DNA/blood type, according to Rules 1 and 2 of the International Brangus Breeders Association (IBBA) Inspection of Exhibits. At selected shows and fairs, blood samples will be taken from all division champions and reserve division champions for the purpose of verifying parentage and DNA/blood type. Staff or representative of IBBA will supervise the collection of blood samples which can be taken at shows, fairs and events where IBBA contributes premium money or where IBBA staff personnel participate. Cost of the DNA/blood typing procedure will be paid for by IBBA. If a recorded parent is excluded (as a parent) as a result of DNA/blood typing, the owner of the animal may request, at his or her own expense, further determination of the actual parent. Failure to determine the sire and dam will result in the animal being listed in the IBBA Registry as a "Parentage Dispute," and the animal will be ineligible for future shows and exhibitions.

SHOW RULES VIOLATION POLICY

1. A show rules violation to be a valid complaint must be accompanied by a written statement describing the violation, the perpetrator of the violation, and signed by an active member of the IBBA. This written complaint will be presented to an Ethics Committee consisting of the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Executive Committee Liaison, and an appointed member. All four people will be current members of the show committee. A minimum of two of these members must be present at the Show where the rule violation occurs. The Chairman shall appoint other members of the Show Committee to ensure a minimum of two on this committee at each IBBA approved show.
2. The Committee shall rule on the validity of the rule violation. The committee shall visit with the perpetrator, present the written complaint, and make a ruling on the complaint if valid.
3. The perpetrator is entitled to appeal any decision made by the Ethics Show Committee to the Executive Committee of the IBBA but the Executive Committee has the right to disqualify the perpetrator from the IBBA approved show after hearing an appeal. The Executive Committee's decision will be final.
4. Without the Executive Committee's decision, the perpetrator cannot be disqualified from this particular IBBA approved show. However, the animal can be disqualified by the Ethics Committee if the rule violation is deemed valid.
5. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any Brangus function, each exhibitor hereby releases the Association, its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits, and judgments past, present, or future, arising from or connected with this policy and the resulting decision there from.

International Brangus Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$50	\$30	\$20

The cattle will be judged in the following order:

- a. The Brangus Show will begin with the Black Female classes. Calf classes will be judged through Calf Champion and Reserve Calf Champion.
- b. Then the Red Female classes will enter the ring and will be judged through Calf Champion and Reserve Calf Champion.
- c. This procedure will be alternated between Black and Red Shows until all age champions have been selected.
- d. After this, Junior Heifer Calf Champion, Senior Heifer Calf Champion, Summer Champion Heifer, Yearling Champion Heifer and Senior Champion Heifer of the Black and Red Shows will be brought back to the ring at the same time. The judge will then select the Champion Black Female and Champion Red Female and announce the winners at the same time. The same will occur for Reserve Champion Females.

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- e. The Cow/Calf classes will begin with the Black females. The Black Cow/Calves will be judged through Champion and Reserve Champion Cow/Calf. The the Red Cow/Calf classes will be judged through Champion and Reserve Champion Red Cow/Calf.
- f. The above procedure will be followed in the bull judging, beginning with the Black classes and alternating between Red and Black Shows. If a division does not have any cattle entered, the division will be skipped.
- g. Group classes will be judged with Black Group Classes all being exhibited first, followed by all Red Group Classes.

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Summer Heifer Calf	calved 5/1/10 and after	(Premium A)
2. Late Spring Heifer Calf	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
3. Early Spring Heifer Calf	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
4. Late Junior Heifer Calf	calved 2/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
5. Early Junior Heifer Calf	calved 1/1/10 - 1/31/10	(Premium A)
6. JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
7. RESERVE JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
8. Winter Heifer Calf	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
9. Senior Heifer Calf	calved 9/1/09- 10/31/09	(Premium A)
10. SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
11. RESERVE SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
12. Late Summer Yearling Heifer	calved 7/1/09- 8/31/09	(Premium A)
13. Early Summer Yearling Heifer	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
14. SUMMER CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
15. RESERVE SUMMER CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
16. Spring Yearling Heifer	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
17. Junior Yearling Heifer	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
18. YEARLING CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
19. RESERVE YEARLING CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
20. Fall Yearling Heifer*	calved 11/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
21. Senior Yearling Heifer*	calved 9/1/08 – 10/31/08	(Premium A)
22. SENIOR CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
23. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
24. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner & Trophy)
25. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner & Trophy)

Cow/Calf

26. Cow/Calf*	Cows calved 1/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
27. Cow/Calf*	Cows calved 1/1/07 - 12/31/07	(Premium A)
*IBBA registered calves at side must be cow's natural calf not older than 250 days of age by show.		
28. GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner)
29. RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner)

BULL CLASSES

30. Summer Bull Calf	calved 5/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
31. Late Spring Bull Calf	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
32. Early Spring Bull Calf	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
33. Late Junior Bull Calf	calved 2/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
34. Early Junior Bull Calf	calved 1/1/10 - 1/31/10	(Premium A)
35. JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
36. RESERVE JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
37. Winter Bull Calf	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	Premium A)
38. Senior Bull Calf	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	Premium A)
39. SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
40. SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
41. Late Summer Yearling Bull	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	Premium A)
42. Early Summer Yearling Bull	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	Premium A)
43. SUMMER CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
44. RESERVE SUMMER CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
45. Spring Yearling Bull	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	Premium A)
46. Junior Yearling Bull	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	Premium A)
47. YEARLING CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
48. RESERVE YEARLING CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
49. Senior Yearling Bull	calved 9/1/08 -12/31/08	Premium A)
50. Summer Two Year Old Bull	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
51. Spring Three Year Old Bull	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	(Premium A)
52. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)

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| 53. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL | (Banner) |
| 54. GRAND CHAMPION BULL | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 55. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | (Banner & Trophy) |

Group Classes

All animals competing in Classes 56-59 must have been entered and competed in individual classes. Cows exhibited in the cow/calf classes are not eligible for the group classes.

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| 56. Produce-of-Dam: To consist of two animals, out of same dam.
Can be both sexes and by different bulls. | (Banner) |
| 57. Junior Get-of-Sire: To consist of three head by one sire (both sexes must be represented). All calves are to be senior calves and younger. | (Banner) |
| 58. Senior Get-of-Sire: To consist of four head, all by one sire (both sexes must be represented). Entries can be of any age, but must fit into show classifications. | (Banner) |
| 59. Best Four Head: To consist of four head (both sexes do not have to be represented) and must be bred and owned or co-owned by exhibitor. | (Banner) |

Braunvieh National Show

Department A

Judge - Dean Fuchs – Columbus, TX

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Show:	Wednesday	March 2	11:30 a.m.
Begin Release:	Wednesday	March 2	3:30 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Wednesday	March 2	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Braunvieh National Show

1. All Braunvieh entries must be recorded in the Braunvieh Association of America (BAA) Herdbook.
2. Exhibitors must be in good standing with the BAA and comply with the rules and guidelines of each show and entity.
3. All animals exhibited must have a known Braunvieh dam or sire and are subject to being DNA verified to its' Braunvieh parent(s).
4. Animals must be Fullblood or Purebred (7/8 Braunvieh blood for females and 15/16 Braunvieh blood for males) to qualify for the FB/PB Braunvieh Show. Animals with less than purebred Braunvieh blood, and ¼ or greater Braunvieh blood, will be shown in a separate Braunvieh BeefBuilder/Percentage Show. (All fractions based on breed up percentages.)
5. The BAA reserves the right to provide the judge and audience with the Expected Progeny Differences (EPD's) values, ultrasound data (collected by a certified technician), scrotal circumference for bulls, weights and rations for performance and weights with weight-per-day of age. Performance figures can be presented in their entirety or any combination deemed necessary by the BAA.
6. Class 20 – Senior Yearling Females, can show with calves at side and still be eligible to show for champion female/heifer.
7. Heifers exhibited at 20 months of age or older (not females in cow/calf class) must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy by a licensed veterinarian. For heifers used in embryo transfer, a certificate of positive fertility issued by a licensed veterinarian must be available for inspection. Heifers 28 months or older must have a calf by side.
8. Females born prior to September 1, 2007 must show in the cow/calf class with a calf at side. The pair will not be eligible for champion female/heifer. Calves exhibited in the cow/calf cannot be over 230 days of age. Calves from the cow/calf class can be entered as individuals in the show.
9. Bulls exhibited at 14 months of age or older must have a positive semen test and a certificate to that effect. The certificate must be available for inspection. Bulls 12 months and older will have a nose lead to be shown.
10. Entries will be entered in a specific class at time of entry.
11. No cosmetic surgeries other than surgical dehorning will be allowed. Violations will result in disqualification.
12. Only general accepted fitting practices will be allowed. Violation will be cause for disqualification. Show committee will make ruling on a case by case basis. Animals disqualified will forfeit entry fees, awards and show points. Appeals will be forwarded to ethics committee and Executive Vice President.
13. Protests will be made to Show Committee with a \$150 protest fee, within 24 hours of show or prior to release, whichever is first, in writing to BAA staff or show committee member. In ruling in favor of protest, fee will be refunded. If ruling against, fee will be forfeited.

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14. Appeals will be made to Show Committee with \$150 appeal fee. Appeal will be forwarded with all information to ethics committee and Executive Vice President. If appeal granted, fee will be returned with reinstatement of show points and any other forfeited entry fees and awards. If appeal denied, fee will be forfeited.
15. Decision of the ethics committee and the Executive Vice President will be final.

Fullblood/Purebred Show

FEMALE CLASSES

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| 1. Summer Heifer Calves | calved 7/1/10 or after | |
| 2. Late Spring Heifer Calves | calved 5/1/10 - 6/30/10 | |
| 3. Early Spring Heifer Calves | calved 3/1/10 - 4/30/10 | |
| 4. Junior Heifer Calves | calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10 | |
| 5. CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER CALF | | (Banner) |
| 6. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER CALF | | (Banner) |
| 7. Winter Heifer Calves | calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09 | |
| 8. Senior Heifer Calves | calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09 | |
| 9. CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER CALF | | (Banner) |
| 10. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER CALF | | (Banner) |
| 11. Late Summer Yearling Females | calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09 | |
| 12. Summer Yearling Females | calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09 | |
| 13. CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 14. RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 15. Late Spring Yearling Females | calved 4/1/09 - 4/30/09 | |
| 16. Yearling Spring Females | calved 3/1/09 - 3/31/09 | |
| 17. Junior Yearling Females | calved 1/1/09 - 2/29/09 | |
| 18. CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 19. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 20. Senior Yearling Females | calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08 | |
| 21. CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 22. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 23. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner and Trophy) |
| 24. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner and Trophy) |
| 25. Cow/Calf Pairs | | |
| (Calf must be cow's natural calf, not embryo transplant. Calf to be no more than 230 days of age by date of show.
No age restrictions on cow.) | | |
| 26. GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR | | (Banner and Trophy) |
| 27. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR | | (Banner and Trophy) |

BULL CLASSES

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| 28. Late Summer Bull Calves | calved 7/1/10 or after | |
| 29. Late Spring Bull Calves | calved 5/1/10 - 6/30/10 | |
| 30. Early Spring Bull Calves | calved 3/1/10 - 4/30/10 | |
| 31. Junior Bull Calves | calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10 | |
| 32. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF | | (Banner) |
| 33. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF | | (Banner) |
| 34. Winter Bull Calves | calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09 | |
| 35. Senior Bull Calves | calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09 | |
| 36. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF | | (Banner) |
| 37. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF | | (Banner) |
| 38. Late Summer Yearling Bulls | calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09 | |
| 39. Summer Yearling Bulls | calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09 | |
| 40. CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL | | (Banner) |
| 41. RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL | | (Banner) |
| 42. Spring Yearling Bulls | calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09 | |
| 43. Junior Yearling Bulls | calved 1/1/09 - 2/29/09 | |

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44. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
45. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
46. Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 – 12/31/08	
47. Summer Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/08 – 8/31/08	
48. Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08– 4/30/08	
49. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
50. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
51. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner and Trophy)
52. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner and Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

53. Produce of Dam – Two animals either sex from one dam, may be owned by more than one exhibitor. Both animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. (Banner)
54. Get of Sire – Four animals all by one sire both sexes represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor. All animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. (Banner)
55. Breeder's Best Four Head – Four animals, either sex bred by exhibitor. All animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. (Banner)

BeefBuilder/Percentage/American Cross Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Summer Heifer Calves	calved 7/1/10 or after	
2. Late Spring Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10	
3. Early Spring Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10	
4. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	
5. CHAMPION JUNIOR CALF		(Banner)
6. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR CALF		(Banner)
7. Winter Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	
8. Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	
9. CHAMPION SENIOR CALF		(Banner)
10. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR CALF		(Banner)
11. Late Summer Yearling Females	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	
12. Yearling Spring Yearling Females	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	
13. CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE		(Banner)
14. RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE FEMALE		(Banner)
15. Late Spring Yearling Females	calved 4/1/09 – 4/30/09	
16. Spring Yearling Females	calved 3/1/09 – 3/31/09	
17. Junior Yearling Females	calved 1/1/09 – 2/29/09	
18. CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
19. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
20. Senior Yearling Females	calved 9/1/08– 12/31/08	
21. CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
22. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
23. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner and Trophy)
24. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner and Trophy)
25. Cow/Calf Pairs		
(Calf must be cow's natural calf, not embryo transplant. Calf to be no more than 230 days of age by date of show. No age restrictions on cow.)		
26. GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR		(Banner and Trophy)
27. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW/CALF PAIR		(Banner and Trophy)

BULL CLASSES

28. Late Summer Bull Calves	calved 7/1/10 or after	
29. Late Spring Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10	
30. Early Spring Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10	
31. Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	
32. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
33. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
34. Winter Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	
35. Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	
36. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
37. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)

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38. Late Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	
39. Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	
40. CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
41. RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
42. Spring Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 – 4/30/09	
43. Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 – 2/29/09	
44. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
45. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
46. Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 – 12/31/08	
47. Summer Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/08 – 8/31/08	
48. Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08– 4/30/08	
49. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
50. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
51. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner and Trophy)
52. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner and Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

53. Produce of Dam – Two animals either sex from one dam, may be owned by more than one exhibitor. Both animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. (Banner)
54. Get of Sire – Four animals all by one sire both sexes represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor. All animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. (Banner)
55. Breeder's Best Four Head – Four animals, either sex bred by exhibitor. All animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. (Banner)

American International Charolais Association Class A Roll of Excellence Show

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$800
American-International Charolais Association	\$800
Total Premium Available	\$1,600

Judge – Brant Poe – Brenham, TX

Begin Arrival:	Thursday	March 3	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Thursday	March 3	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Thursday	March 3	7 p.m.
Show:	Saturday	March 5	4 p.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 6	7 a.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	6 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for American International Charolais Assoc. Class A Roll of Excellence Show

1. The American-International Charolais Association (AICA), 11700 NW Plaza Circle Kansas City, MO 64153, (816) 464-2474 pays 50% of the premiums for this show. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
2. Animals must be purebred and registered with AICA. If an animal is registered in its country of origin outside the United States and is eligible for purebred registry in the AICA Herdbook, the animal is eligible to enter.
3. Animals registered in the AICA Colored Division Registry (QF AND QM initialed registration numbers) must meet the perimeters of the AICA Color Card.
4. Animals may be approved by a sifting committee designated by the AICA. Stall space will not be provided for any Charolais cattle that have not been accepted by the sifting committee.
5. Animals are subject to a medical examination in order to determine age, and each animal will be present in the show ring in its natural conformation without alteration or modification. Use of artificial tailheads is not permitted.
6. Bulls from classes 40, 41, 44, 45 and 46 must have valid, satisfactory semen test certificates in possession. This certificate is valid for the entire show season.
7. Animals shown in individual classes must be weaned, with the exception of the cow/calf class and calves at the side of females calved after Sept. 1, 2008. In the cow/calf class, the calf must be purebred and registered with the AICA. Females calved after Sept. 1, 2008, must show in an individual female class appropriate to age. Nurse cows are not permitted.
8. All females 20 months and older exhibited at AICA-sanctioned shows must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian or have produced fertile eggs as certified in a written statement by a licensed veterinarian or embryologist or have a calf at side.
9. AICA requires that all animals be shown with a halter and suggests that all bulls be shown with a nose lead.
10. All exhibits of Charolais breeding cattle shall be governed by the AICA rules & regulations, Article XV, titled "Exhibition of Animals." The inspection of exhibit cattle is specified in Article XV, Paragraph C, of The Association Rules and Regulations and Non-Compliance of Exhibit Inspection is specified in Paragraph D of the same Article XV. Article XV, Paragraph C, Point 2: "Each animal will be presented in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical or other (including banding or other circulatory constriction) appearance change for cosmetic purpose, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Silicone injection or other injection for cosmetic purpose shall be prohibited. Anabolic steroid use shall likewise be prohibited and any animal testing positive for anabolic steroid or diuretic use shall be presumed to be altered and modified."
11. The use of coloring agent, flock, and powder is prohibited. Use of these products will result in the immediate disqualification of a given animal in the show.
12. Any animal not having a legible tattoo or firebrand number is ineligible and will be barred from showing.

American International Charolais Assoc. Class A Roll of Excellence Show

American International Charolais Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$20	\$18	\$14

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Summer Heifer Calves	calved 7/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
2. Late Spring Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 - 6/30/10	(Premium A)
3. Early Spring Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
4. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
5. JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
6. RESERVE JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
7. Winter Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
8. Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
9. SENIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
10. RESERVE SENIOR CALF CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
11. Late Summer Yearling Females	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
12. Summer Yearling Females	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
13. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
14. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
15. Late Spring Yearling Females	calved 4/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
16. Early Spring Yearling Females	calved 3/1/09 - 3/31/09	(Premium A)
17. JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
18. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
19. Junior Yearling Females	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
20. Senior Yearling Females	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
21. SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
22. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
23. Cow/Calf:		
First place – Champion Cow/Calf		(Premium A)
Second place – Champion Cow/ Calf		(Premium A)
Calf must be cow's natural calf, not embryo transplant. Calf to be no more than 250 days of age by day of Show. No age restriction on cow. Calf not eligible to compete in individual calf classes if shown with dam. Pair will be eligible for Grand or Reserve Champion Female. Cow and/or calf may be included in group class entries as individual, not as a pair comprising a single animal unit.		
24. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
25. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

BULL CLASSES

26. Late Summer Bull Calves	calved 7/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
27. Late Spring Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 - 6/30/10	(Premium A)
28. Early Spring Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
29. Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
30. JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
31. RESERVE JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
32. Winter Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
33. Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
34. SENIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
35. RESERVE SENIOR CALF CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
36. Late Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
37. Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)

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38. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
39. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
40. Spring Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
41. Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
42. JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
43. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
44. Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
45. Summer Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
46. Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	(Premium A)
47. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
48. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
49. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
50. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
GROUP CLASSES		
51. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals, either sex, from one dam, animals must be shown in individual classes to be eligible. May be owned by more than one exhibitor.		(Premium A & Banner)
52. Junior Get-of-Sire: Three animals, all by one sire, both sexes to be represented; may be owned by more than one exhibitor; all animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible. Bulls from classes 26, 27, 28, 29, 32 and 33; females from classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, and 8.		(Premium A & Banner)
53. Senior Get-of-Sire: Three animals, all by one sire, both sexes to be represented. May be owned by more than one exhibitor. This Get must have a minimum of two animals born before Sept. 1, 2009. All animals must be shown in individual classes to be eligible.		(Premium A & Banner)
54. Breeder's Herd: Four animals, either sex, bred and owned by exhibitor. All animals must be shown in their individual classes to be eligible.		(Premium A & Banner)
55. Group-of-Five-Head: Five animals of either sex, owned by exhibitor from either of the Calf classes, Junior classes, Senior classes or a combination of such.		(Premium A & Banner)

Hereford/Polled Hereford

Department A

Judge – Jay Wright – Morgan, TX

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Show:	Tuesday	March 1	2:30 p.m.
Begin Release:	Tuesday	March 1	5 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Wednesday	March 2	5 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Hereford/Polled Hereford Show

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 American Hereford Association Board of Directors and are subject to supervision of the Show and Sale Committee representing the AHA.
3. Any animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible to show.

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Spring Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 and after	
2. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	
3. CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
4. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
5. Winter Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	
6. Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	
7. CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
8. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
9. Late Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	
10. Early Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	
11. Spring Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	
12. CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE HEIFER		(Banner)
13. RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE HEIFER		(Banner)
14. Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	
15. Senior Yearling Heifers	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	
16. CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER		(Banner)
17. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER		(Banner)
18. Cow/Calf (any female older than the above ages with calf at side)		
19. CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner)
20. RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner)
21. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
22. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

Calf older than 270 days of age on the show date is not eligible to show in cow/calf class. If the cow is horned and the calf polled then the pair will show in the horned cow/calf class and if the cow is polled and the calf is horned then the pair will show in the polled cow/calf class. Cow/Calf class does not compete for Grand Champion Female.

BULL CLASSES

23. Spring Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 and after	
24. Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	
25. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
26. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
27. Winter Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	
28. Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	
29. CHAMPION FALL BULL CALF		(Banner)

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30. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL BULL CALF		(Banner)
31. Late Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	
32. Early Summer Yearling Bulls,	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	
33. CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
34. RESERVE CHAMPION INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
35. Spring Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	
36. Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	
37. CHAMPION JUNIOR YEARLING BULL		(Banner)
38. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR YEARLING BULL		(Banner)
39. Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	
40. Two-Year-Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 8/31/08	
41. CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING BULL		(Banner)
42. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR YEARLING BULL		(Banner)
43. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
44. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

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| <p>45. Get-of-Sire: Four animals shown in above single entry classes with both sexes represented and all to be the progeny of one sire. It is permissible to use either the cow or calf from a cow/calf for the Get-of-Sire. All cattle exhibited in the Get-of-Sire must be bred and owned by the exhibitor or a member of their immediate family.</p> <p>46. Best-Six-Head: Animals must be owned by the exhibitor or by a member of his immediate family.
A cow/calf will be considered as two head in the Best-Six-Head class.</p> <p>47. Premier Exhibitor*</p> <p>48. Premier Breeder*</p> | <p>(Banner)</p> <p>(Banner)</p> |
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* Awarded with the following point system:

1st Place	5 points
2nd Place	4 points
3rd Place	3 points
4th Place	2 points
5th Place	1 point

No points will be given 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. The same scoring system as above will be used for awarding points for the group classes.

Limousin Medal of Excellence Show

Department A

Judge – Jake Franke – Bryan, TX

Begin Arrival:	Thursday	March 3	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Thursday	March 3	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Thursday	March 3	7 p.m.
Private Treaty Sale:	Saturday	March 5	noon - 6 p.m.
Show:	Sunday	March 6	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 6	10:30 a.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Limousin Medal of Excellence Show

1. Animals must be registered with the North American Limousin Foundation (NALF), 7383 S. Alton Way, Suite 100, Centennial, CO 80112-2339 (303) 220-1693. Embryo transfer (ET) calves with pending registration must have parentage-verification paperwork in the NALF system.
2. All animals must be 75 percent (3/4) Limousin (NALF percentage, not actual) or greater as indicated on orange NALF registration certificate or purple-papered Lim-Flex cattle as indicated by NALF registration certificates. Percentage, purebred and Lim-Flex cattle shall compete in the same classes and championships.
3. Animals must be properly tattooed and will be inspected at the show. Tattoos must be legible and match the registration certificates. If an animal's tattoo is not legible or cannot be read upon initial processing, it will be ineligible to show and not be allowed to return with a new or corrected tattoo.
4. To maintain a high degree of confidence in Limousin shows, the North American Limousin Foundation reserves the right to disqualify any animal that has been fitted in an unethical manner. Unethical fitting shall include the following:
 - a. Any use of paints, hair-coloring conditioners, colored show foam, graphite, colored powders or other substances; animals may be subject to a white-towel test
 - b. The addition of hair or hair-like substances including false tailheads and polls. False tail switches are allowed.
 - c. The cutting, tearing or gluing of the hide or underneath the hide or removal of tissue in an attempt to alter the shape of the animal or the injection of any gas, solid or liquid under the hide to alter the normal conformation.
 - d. Products, solutions or liquids administered internally or externally to alter the conformation of the animal is prohibited. That includes the use of steroids, growth stimulants and the act of artificially filling animals internally which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method. **EXCEPTIONS:** In the case of severely sick or severely dehydrated animals, the exhibitor may have fluids or electrolytes administered by the licensed official Show veterinarian with the approval of the Show superintendent and/or North American Limousin Foundation representative. This exception is not applicable on show day or weigh-in/check-in day.
5. Bulls over one year of age must show with a nose lead. The Limousin Show superintendent and the show management reserve the right to disqualify any animal deemed unmanageable.
6. All protests against exhibitors, individual animals or fitting violations must be submitted in writing, signed by five active members of the North American Limousin Foundation and presented to the Show Superintendent within 12 hours of the completion of the show.
7. The NALF reserves the right to mouth animals for dental development.
8. The NALF reserves the right to collect hair samples from any animal.
9. Animals shown must be solid red or black above the flanks, excluding birth marks.
10. Calves exhibited alongside dams in the cow-calf division are not eligible to show as individuals.

Limousin Medal of Excellence Show

Other Requirements

The following performance-data-submission requirements must be met by Dec. 1 to receive points at Medal of Excellence Events

- a. Birth Weight (bulls and heifers)
- b. Weaning Weight (bulls and heifers)
- c. Yearling Weight (bulls and heifers)
- d. Yearling scrotal circumference
- e. Pregnancy test (any female 600 days old at season's end)
- f. Breeding Soundness Exam and Semen test (all bulls over 400 days old)

NOTE: Failure to have documentation on file at NALF by this date will result in disqualification from the Medal of Excellence program and no points will be awarded. It is the responsibility of the breeder/owner to submit this information without special requests from NALF.

Credibility Requirements:

In order to maintain a high degree of integrity and credibility in all Limousin shows, all owners and exhibitors will be expected to adhere to all North American Limousin Foundation rules and regulations regarding the exhibition of Limousin cattle. In addition, adhering to any rules or regulations deemed suitable by the particular show, fair, or exhibition.

Medal of Excellence Point Distribution

Number of Entries shown

51 entries and above shown

MOE points awarded

1 st in class	15 points
2 nd in class	13 points
3 rd in class	11 points
4 th in class	9 points
5 th in class	7 points
6 th in class	5 points
7 th in class	4 points
8 th in class	3 points
9 th in class	2 points
10 th in class	1 point
Division Champion	15 points
Division Reserve	12 points
Grand Champion	15 points
Reserve Grand	12 points
1 st in class	10 points
2 nd in class	8 points
3 rd in class	6 points
4 th in class	4 points
5 th in class	2 points
Division Champion	10 points
Division Reserve	8 points
Grand Champion	10 points
Reserve Grand	8 points
1 st in class	5 points
2 nd in class	4 points
3 rd in class	3 points
4 th in class	2 points
5 th in class	1 points
Division Champion	5 points
Division Reserve	3 points
Grand Champion	5 points
Reserve Grand	3 points

26 to 50 entries shown

25 entries shown and under

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FEMALE CLASSES

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| 1. Junior Heifer Calves | calved 11/1/10 or after | |
| 2. Early Junior Heifer calves | calved 9/1/10 – 10/31/10 | |
| 3. Late Junior Heifer calves | calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10 | |
| 4. DIVISION I CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 5. DIVISION I RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 6. Senior Heifer Calves | calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10 | |
| 7. April Junior Yearling Females | calved 4/1/10 – 4/30/10 | |
| 8. March Junior Yearling Females | calved 3/1/10 – 3/31/10 | |
| 9. DIVISION II CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 10. DIVISION II RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 11. Junior Yearling Females | calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10 | |
| 12. Late Yearling Females | calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09 | |
| 13. DIVISION III CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 14. DIVISION III RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 15. Fall Yearling Females | calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09 | |
| 16. Summer Senior Yearling Females | calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09 | |
| 17. DIVISION IV CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 18. DIVISION IV RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 19. Senior Yearling Female | calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09 | |
| 20. Spring Yearling Female | calved 3/1/09 – 4/30/09 | |
| 21. Early Senior Yearling Female | calved 1/1/09 – 2/28/09 | |
| 22. Cow/Calf Pair: Cows must be purple-papared Lim Flex or at 75% (3/4) Limousin with natural calf at side.
Calf must be registered Limousin, percentage Limousin or Lim-Flex and not more than
250 days old on date of show. | | |
| 23. DIVISION V CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 24. DIVISION V RESERVE CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 25. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 26. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner & Trophy) |

BULL CLASSES

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| 27. Junior Bull Calves | calved 11/1/10 or after | |
| 28. Early Junior Bull Calves | calved 9/1/10 – 10/31/10 | |
| 29. Late Junior Bull Calves | calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10 | |
| 30. DIVISION I CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 31. DIVISION I RESERVE CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 32. Early Senior Bull Calves | calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10 | |
| 33. Spring Yearling Bulls | calved 4/1/10 – 4/30/10 | |
| 34. Early Spring Yearling Bulls | calved 3/1/10 – 3/31/10 | |
| 35. DIVISION II CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 36. DIVISION II RESERVE CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 37. Junior Yearling Bulls | calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10 | |
| 38. Late Senior Yearling Bulls | calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09 | |
| 39. DIVISION III CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 40. DIVISION III RESERVE CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 41. Senior Yearling Bulls | calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09 | |
| 42. Summer Senior Yearling Bulls | calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09 | |
| 43. DIVISION IV CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 44. DIVISION IV RESERVE CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 45. Spring Senior Yearling Bulls | calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09 | |
| 46. Two Year Old Bulls | calved 1/1/09 – 4/30/09 | |
| 47. Three Year Old Bulls | calved 1/1/07 – 12/31/08 | |
| 48. DIVISION V CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 49. DIVISION V RESERVE CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner) |
| 50. GRAND CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 51. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |

GROUP CLASSES

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| 52. Produce-of-Dam: Two head shown in individual classes produced by one dam; may be owned by different exhibitors.
Both sexes may be represented. | (Banner) |
| 53. Junior Get-of-Sire: Three head shown in individual classes calved on or after Sept. 1, 2007,
both sexes represented. | (Banner) |
| 54. Senior Get-of-Sire: Four head shown in individual classes, any age, both sexes represented. | (Banner) |
| 55. Breeder's Best-5-Head: Five head bred by and owned or co-owned by a single exhibitor.
Either or both sexes represented. | (Banner) |

Maine-Anjou

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$500
Texas Maine-Anjou Association	\$600
Total Premium Available	\$1,100

Judge – Jay Wright – Morgan, TX

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Show:	Tuesday	March 1	1 p.m.
Begin Release:	Tuesday	March 1	5 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Wednesday	March 2	5 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Maine-Anjou Show

- Exhibitors are subject to all rules and regulations of the American Maine-Anjou Association (AMAA) and the Texas Maine-Anjou Association (TMAA). When an exhibitor signs the entry application, he/she is agreeing to abide with the rules and regulations established by the AMAA as well as the rules of the Show management.
- Animals must be registered in the AMAA, and the original certificate is required for presentation before the Show. Animals must be 75 percent Maine-Anjou or greater.
- Animals unethically fitted to alter the conformation or appearance of the animal will be disqualified. Coloring agents may be used on the legs and tail switches, but none may be used above the flank.
- Animals must be dehorned.
- Cattle shall be made available for veterinary examination to determine the presence of altering, as well as to be mouthed for the purpose of age verification. The TMAA Show Committee reserves the right, after mouthing by a qualified veterinarian, to remove an animal from the show or designate the animal to be shown in a different class from that previously entered, at the Committee's discretion.
- Heifers 20 months of age or older must have a certificate of pregnancy or a certificate of positive fertility issued by a licensed veterinarian.

Open Maine-Anjou Show Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$22	\$18	\$15

Open Maine-Anjou Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Summer Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
2. Spring Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
3. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
4. CHAMPION JUNIOR CALF		(Banner)
5. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR CALF		(Banner)
6. Winter Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
7. Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
8. CHAMPION SENIOR CALF		(Banner)
9. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR CALF		(Banner)
10. Late Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
11. Early Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
12. CHAMPION SUMMER HEIFER		(Banner)
13. RESERVE CHAMPION SUMMER HEIFER		(Banner)
14. Spring Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
15. Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
16. CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
17. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
18. Senior Yearling Heifers	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
19. Cow/Calf - Cows that are exhibited with calves at side must be in lactating stage. Calves must not exceed 240 days of age on day of judging and be nursing. Calf entries in the cow/calf classes may be shown individually providing individual entry has been made. Cows may be evaluated and screened out of the Show on the basis of udder quality. The determination of the Show Committee will be final.		(Premium A)
20. CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
21. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
22. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner and Trophy)

BULL CLASSES

24. Summer Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
25. Spring Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
26. Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
27. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
28. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
29. Winter Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
30. Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
31. CHAMPION BULL CALF		(Banner)
32. RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF		(Banner)
33. Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
34. Spring Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
35. Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
36. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
37. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
38. Senior Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
39. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
40. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
41. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
42. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

43. Breeder's Group: Three head, both sexes represented, all three head to have same breeder name on individual registration certificates.	(Banner)
44. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals of the same dam. Dam information to be supplied upon entry into class.	(Banner)
45. Get-of-Sire: Three head, both sexes represented, from one sire, any age.	(Banner)
46. Breeder's Best-Four-Head: Any age, owned or co-owned by one exhibitor.	(Banner)

Red Angus

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$600
Texas Red Angus Association	\$1,000
Total Premium Available	\$1,600

Judge – Paul Maulsby – College Station, TX

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Show:	Tuesday	March 1	3 p.m.
Begin Release:	Wednesday	March 2	5 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Wednesday	March 2	5 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Red Angus Show

1. The Texas Red Angus Association (TRAA) pays majority of the premiums for this show. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
2. Only registered Red Angus, Category 1A, may show. Heifers must be smooth polled with no evidence of scurs or “buttons” removed. In addition, heifers exhibiting any of the following characteristics are not eligible to show: 1) white pigment in front of the navel or above the underline or on the legs, 2) black pigment on all 3 of the following: nose, eyes & anus (an animal may have pigment on any 2 of these areas, but not on all three locations).
3. Red Angus entries must be registered in the appropriate Red Angus Association Herdbook.
4. Any female shown with a calf at side must be her natural born calf and be nursing.
5. Entries are subject to provisions and rules for showing as set forth by the Board of Directors of the Texas Red Angus Association, and are subject to supervision of the Show-Sale Committee representing the TRAA. Violation of TRAA's rule regarding defects and unethical practices will result in disqualification of animals in question.
6. Any and all animals entered are subject to DNA marker or blood type test to verify accuracy of parentage. DNA or blood 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 testing for determination of the actual parent(s). Failure to determine the parentage, or if the identified parents disqualify it from Category 1A, the animal will be disqualified from premiums provided by the TRAA and the animal will be ineligible to compete in future shows in which the TRAA provides premium monies.
7. For and in consideration of the opportunity to participate in any show in which the Texas Red Angus Association provides premiums monies, each exhibitor hereby releases the TRAA, its officers, directors, and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments past, present, or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such tests or examination and resulting decision there from.
8. Entries will be arranged in order of age when led into the ring before the judge.

Open Red Angus Show Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	25	15	10

Open Red Angus Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. May Calves	calved 5/1/10 and after	(Premium A)
2. April Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
3. March Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
4. SPRING CALF CHAMPION (winners from classes 1-3)		(Banner)
5. RESERVE SPRING CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
6. February Calves	calved 2/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
7. January Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 1/31/10	(Premium A)
8. JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION (winners from classes 6-7)		(Banner)
9. RESERVE JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
10. Winter Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
11. Senior Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
12. FALL CALF CHAMPION (winners from classes 10-11)		(Banner)
13. RESERVE FALL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
14. Summer Yearlings	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
15. Late Summer Yearlings	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
16. April Spring Yearlings	calved 4/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
17. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION (winners from classes 14-16)		(Banner)
18. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION		(Banner)
19. March Yearlings	calved 3/1/09 - 3/31/09	(Premium A)
20. February Yearlings	calved 2/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
21. January Junior Yearlings	calved 1/1/09 - 1/31/09	(Premium A)
22. JUNIOR CHAMPION (winners from classes 19-21)		(Banner)
23. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION		(Banner)
24. Senior Yearlings	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
25. Two Year Old Female with Calf*	calved after 1/31/08	(Premium A)
26. Mature Cow & Calf*	calved before 1/31/08	(Premium A)
27. SENIOR CHAMPION (winners from classes 24-26)		(Banner)
28. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION		(Banner)
29. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE (winners from classes 6-23)		(Banner & Trophy)
30. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

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

BULL CLASSES

31. May Calves	calved 5/1/10 and after	(Premium A)
32. April Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
33. March Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
34. SPRING CALF CHAMPION (winners from classes 31-33)		(Banner)
35. RESERVE SPRING CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
36. February Calves	calved 2/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
37. January Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 1/31/10	(Premium A)
38. JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION (winners from classes 36-37)		(Banner)
39. RESERVE JUNIOR CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
40. Winter Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
41. Senior Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
42. FALL CALF CHAMPION (winners from classes 40-41)		(Banner)
43. RESERVE FALL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
44. Summer Yearlings	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
45. Late Summer Yearlings	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
46. April Spring Yearlings	calved 4/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
47. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION (winners from classes 41-46)		(Banner)
48. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION		(Banner)
49. March Yearlings	calved 3/1/09 - 3/31/09	(Premium A)
50. February Yearlings	calved 2/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
51. January Junior Yearlings	calved 1/1/09 - 1/31/09	(Premium A)
52. JUNIOR CHAMPION (winners from classes 49-51)		(Banner)
53. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION		(Banner)
54. Senior Yearlings	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
55. Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	(Premium A)
56. SENIOR CHAMPION (winners from classes 54-55)		(Banner)
57. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION		(Banner)
58. GRAND CHAMPION BULL (winners from classes 6-23)		(Banner & Trophy)
59. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

(classes continued on next page)

Open Red Angus Show

GROUP CLASSES

60. Senior Get-of-Sire: Four animals by the same sire, both sexes represented and need not be owned by the exhibitor. (Banner)
61. Junior Get-of-Sire: Three animals by the same sire, both sexes represented and need not be owned by the exhibitor. Entries must have been calved on or after September 1, year prior to beginning of show year. (Banner)
62. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals, either or both sexes and need not be owned by the exhibitor. (Banner)
63. Premier Breeders Class (Best Four-Head): Four animals, bred and owned by the exhibitor or member of immediate family, either or both sexes represented. (Banner)
64. Premier Exhibitor Class:
Will be computed from exhibitor's placement in individual classes as follows:
3 points for each 1st; 2 points for each 2nd; and 1 point for each 3rd.
Maximum number of placements to be used to determine winner is limited to 5.
(In case of tie, group class placements will be used to determine winner). (Banner)

American Red Brangus National Show

Department A

Judge – Jim Williams – Boling, TX

Begin Arrival:	Thursday	March 3	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Thursday	March 3	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Thursday	March 3	7 p.m.
Show:	Sunday	March 6	11 a.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 6	2 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open American Red Brangus National Show

1. Animals must be registered in the herd book of the American Red Brangus Association (ARBA) and have a legible brand that corresponds with the registration papers. Owner must be a member in good standing of the ARBA. The ARBA has the right to verify age of any animal exhibited. The ARBA Open Show Committee Chairman and Committee Members have the authority to sift out any animal they determine does not meet the Standard of Excellence, all decisions are final.
2. Animals must be entered and exhibited under the recorded ownership at the time of the show's entry deadline. Jointly owned animals must be entered under the joint ownership.
3. Animals must be polled. Heads of all animals will be clipped close to the skin (hair less than 1/4") and be free of scurs.
4. Surgical removal of scurs is a disqualification. Any animal found to have scars or evidence of incision surgical or otherwise, in the following area - head, navel, testicles, sheath, or dewlap - will be disqualified.
5. No animal will be shown that has any glue or adhesives or any foreign objects glued to or otherwise attached in a manner so as to alter its conformation or change its appearance. The dyeing or artificial changing of the overall natural color of an animal is prohibited. ARBA Open Show Committee Chairman and Members will inspect all entries before entering the show ring.
6. Animals will be solid red with pink nose. Animals may not be brindled, black or have excessive white or white in front of the navel.
7. Females 24 months of age or older must have a certificate of pregnancy issued by a licensed veterinarian available for inspection or have a calf at side and be lactating with the exception of those in an embryo donor program, may be open within 90 days of show date, after 90 days, they must be bred. A veterinarian's certificate of such embryo work must be presented. Calves at side must meet registration requirements of the ARBA, be natural calf of cow, and cow must be in lactating stage.
8. Bulls 18 months of age or older must have passed a fertility examination within 120 days of show date.
9. All bulls must be shown with a nose lead or nose ring with lead except for bull calves by the side.

Open American Red Brangus Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Summer Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 and after	
2. Late Junior Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 4/30/10	
3. Early Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	
4. Late Senior Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	
5. Early Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	
6. CHAMPION HEIFER CALF (classes 1-5)		(Banner)
7. RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
8. Late Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	
9. Early Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	
10. Late Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	
11. Early Junior Yearling Heifers (must be bred)	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	
12. YEARLING CHAMPION HEIFER (classes 8-11)		(Banner)
13. RESERVE YEARLING CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
14. Females	calved 10/1/08 - 12/31/08	
15. Females	calved 7/1/08 - 9/30/08	
16. SENIOR CHAMPION (classes 14-15)		(Banner)
17. SENIOR RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)
18. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
19. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

BULL CLASSES

20. Summer Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 and after	
21. Late Junior Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 4/30/10	
22. Early Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	
23. Late Senior Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	
24. Early Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	
25. CHAMPION BULL CALF (classes 20-24)		(Banner)
26. RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF		(Banner)
27. Late Summer Yearling Bulls*	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	
28. Early Summer Yearling Bulls*	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	
29. Late Junior Yearling Bulls*	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	
30. Early Junior Yearling Bulls*	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	
31. JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL (classes 27-30)		(Banner)
32. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
33. Senior Yearling Bulls*	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	
34. Senior Yearling Bulls*	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	
35. Two Year Old Bulls*	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	
36. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL (classes 33-35)		(Banner)
37. SENIOR RESERVE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
38. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
39. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

* Denotes semen test certificate necessary

GROUP CLASSES

40. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals, either sex, out of same dam.
41. Get-of-Sire: Three animals, both sexes, by same sire.
42. Premier Exhibitor: Four animals, bred and owned or co-owned by the exhibitor or a member of exhibitor's immediate family, both sexes represented.

Santa Gertrudis

Department A

Judge – Charlie Bradbury – Huntsville, TX

Begin Arrival:	Thursday	March 3	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Thursday	March 3	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Thursday	March 3	7 p.m.
Sale:	Friday	March 4	5 p.m.
Show:	Sunday	March 6	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 6	noon
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Santa Gertrudis Show

1. Heifers 24 months of age or older to be eligible 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.
2. A cow shown with calf at side: Calf must be her natural calf meeting the standard of excellence.
3. All senior bull classes (late junior yearling bull and over) must have either a nose ring or a nose clip for show purposes.
4. All animals must be individually identified by tattoo, numerical firebrand, or freeze brand.
5. 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 be dismissed from the arena and/or forfeit premiums, awards and points won by same exhibitors.**
6. Each animal exhibited must be exhibited with the correct age and shown in the class corresponding with their correct age.
7. Entries in each class will be placed 1,2,3, etc. Animals are to be presented in descending order according to age.
8. Polled classes ***will be entered at the same time as class entries are required by each show.*** Animals will be lined up according to age for the judge.
9. To be eligible to show in Best of Polled, animals to be slick polled with no scurs, no scars, no dehorning and with no evidence of horny tissue. Animals will be inspected by Field Service Representative (if present) assisted by one member of Shows and Exhibits Committee or Breed Standards Committee if needed to settle disputes. If no Field Service Representative is present, it will be done by committee members not involved in that class.
10. SGBI reserves the right to tooth animals without prior notice to the breeders in order to verify age of cattle.
11. There must be at least five (5) exhibitors and twenty-five (25) head of cattle, or a minimum of fifty (50) head of cattle to constitute a recognized Santa Gertrudis Show.
12. In all shows in which fifty (50) head or less entered, all early and late classes may be combined at the discretion of the show officials.
13. Classes with over thirty (30) entries should be divided into sections and section winners return for final placing.
14. The judge **must** be an SGBI approved judge.
15. Each exhibitor must be a member in good standings with SGBI.
16. Dress for showing in an approved SGBI show shall be of clean and neat clothing. Hats or bareheaded with no caps. This is for both Open and Junior shows. **No** tennis shoes.
17. Juniors showing in open shows is allowed and encouraged. Entry must be shown by the owner or immediate family member (sister, brother, mother, father, grandparents). No animal may be fitted or shown by any open exhibitor at any time during the junior's ownership period. An exception is transportation, feed and care, to a show may be allowed. Refer to junior ownership rules.
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, or other appearance change for cosmetic purposes, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Silicon injection or other injections for cosmetic purpose shall be prohibited.

Open Santa Gertrudis Show

If entries are not properly fitted and good herdsman ship followed the owner may be asked to not display their cattle until adhering to the proper procedures as outlined in our herdsman ship paper.

19. **ETHICS:** The showing of unethically fitted livestock or livestock of any ineligible age for exhibition in the class entered is prohibited. Unethical fitting will be deemed to consist of any method altering the natural conformation of any part of the animal's body. Animals showing signs of having been operated upon or tampered with for the purpose of concealing faults in conformation or with intent to deceive relative to the animal's soundness, will be disqualified. Every exhibitor, in consideration of his entry being accepted, agrees to submit any animal so entered by him to inspection and agrees to have such animal submitted to any tests as may be designated and requested by the Shows and Exhibits Committee and agrees that the conclusions reached by the committee as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or overage, 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.
20. Any exhibitor whether it be the owner or custom fitter or anyone else who has the custody of the animal being shown in any SGBI approved show, who shows an animal which has had an anabolic steroid administration to it either by injection or diuretic or any other administration, shall be barred from showing in an SGBI approved show for a period of six (6) months for the first offense, one year for the second offense and for life for the third offense. The animal shall be barred from ever showing in a SGBI approved show again.
21. No pumping or filling of an animal with liquid, air or any other substance is allowed. Violations will result in disqualification and banning from all shows of that exhibitor and/or owner.
22. Any exhibitor who knowingly shows an animal in a SGBI approved show who is in violation of the rule herein above set forth relating to showing an animal in it's natural conformation and structure as defined herein above may be suspended by the Board of Directors for six (6) months for the first offense, one year for the second offense and for life for the third offense.
23. Any person who furnished the birthday of the animal to SGBI either on the IPRA of some other document (whereby that birthday information is transferred to the registration certificate) and that animal is exhibited in a SGBI 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 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 a SGBI approved show for a period of six (6) months for the first offense, one 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.
24. Each exhibitor shall submit his registered Santa Gertrudis cattle to such tests and examinations as may be requested and/or required by the SGBI, its authorized representatives, or the authorized representatives of the relevant show or fair.
25. 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 judgement past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such test or examination and the resulting decision there from.
26. Any exhibitor desiring to dispute or challenge the results of any test, exam, or show rule enforcement, as applied to his animals, shall do so in accordance with procedures established by the rules of the association.

FEMALE CLASSES

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| 1. Late Junior Heifer Calf | calved 3/1/10 or after | |
| 2. Early Junior Heifer Calf | calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10 | |
| 3. Late Senior Heifer Calf | calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09 | |
| 4. Early Senior Heifer Calf | calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09 | |
| 5. CHAMPION HEIFER CALF | | (Banner) |
| 6. RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF | | (Banner) |
| 7. Late Summer Yearling Heifer | calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09 | |
| 8. Early Summer Yearling Heifer | calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09 | |
| 9. Late Junior Yearling Heifer | calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09 | |
| 10. Early Junior Yearling Heifer | calved 1/1/08 - 2/28/09 | |
| 11. CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER | | (Banner) |
| 12. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING HEIFER | | (Banner) |
| 13. Late Senior Yearling Heifer | calved 10/1/08 - 12/31/08 | |
| 14. Early Senior Yearling Heifer | calved 7/1/08 - 9/30/08 | |
| 15. Late Two-Year-Old Heifer | calved 4/1/08 - 6/30/08 | |
| 16. Early Two-Year-Old Heifer | calved 1/1/08 - 3/31/08 | |
| 17. CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 18. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 19. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 20. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 21. BEST OF POLLED FEMALE AWARD | | (Banner) |

* Smooth polled with no horny tissue (Group class fee applies)

* Must have produced a calf or be safe in calf as verified by a graduate veterinarian.

Open Santa Gertrudis Show

BULL CLASSES

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| 22. Late Junior Bull Calf | calved 3/1/10 or later | |
| 23. Early Junior Bull Calf | calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10 | |
| 24. Late Senior Bull Calf | calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09 | |
| 25. Early Senior Bull Calf | calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09 | |
| 26. CHAMPION BULL CALF | | (Banner) |
| 27. RESERVE CHAMPION BULL CALF | | (Banner) |
| 28. Late Summer Yearling Bull | calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09 | |
| 29. Early Summer Yearling Bull | calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09 | |
| 30. Late Junior Yearling Bull | calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09 | |
| 31. Early Junior Yearling Bull | calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09 | |
| 32. CHAMPION YEARLING BULL | | (Banner) |
| 33. RESERVE CHAMPION YEARLING BULL | | (Banner) |
| 34. Late Senior Yearling Bull | calved 10/1/08 - 12/31/08 | |
| 35. Early Senior Yearling Bull | calved 7/1/08 - 9/30/08 | |
| 36. Late Two-Year-Old Bull | calved 4/1/08 - 6/30/08 | |
| 37. Early Two-Year-Old Bull | calved 1/1/08 - 3/31/08 | |
| 38. Aged Bull | calved 7/1/07 - 12/31/07 | |
| 39. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL | | (Banner) |
| 40. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL | | (Banner) |
| 41. GRAND CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 42. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 43. Best-of-Polled Male Award: Smooth polled with no horny tissue. | | (Banner) |

GROUP CLASSES

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| 44. Produce-of-Dam: Two offspring, the produce of one cow. | (Banner) |
| 45. Get-of-Sire: Three animals by one sire, from at least two dams, both sexes represented | (Banner) |

Shorthorn

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$750
Texas Shorthorn Association.....	\$550
Total Premium Available.....	\$1,300

Judge – Terri Barber – Austin, TX

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Show:	Tuesday	March 1	3:30 p.m.
Begin Release:	Tuesday	March 1	5 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Wednesday	March 2	5 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Shorthorn Show

1. Animals must be registered as the property of the exhibitor in the records of the American Shorthorn Association as of a date prior to the opening of the show. Multiple owned animals must be exhibited in the name of all owners.
2. Family bred and raised animals entered in the Junior Show and subsequently entered in the Open Show may be treated as family entries in group classes.
3. No exhibitor shall be permitted to win more than two prizes in any one class.
4. All Shorthorns and Polled Shorthorns are subject to a tattoo inspection by representatives of the association. All Shorthorn and Polled Shorthorns also are subject to an age inspection if deemed necessary by the American Shorthorn Association, and the decision of the examining veterinarian is final. Use of artificial fins on show animals is not permitted.
5. Senior/Junior Yearling Females 28 months of age or older on or after the date of the show must have a natural calf at side and must be shown with such. All females 20 months of age or older on or after the date of the show must have a 60 day pregnancy verification signed from an accredited, non-owner veterinarian at the time the female is processed for the show. If verification cannot be produced, the female may be allowed to participate if the exhibitor can produce a qualified veterinarian to examine the female at the show site and verify a 60 day pregnancy. Any infractions against this rule will lead to disqualification of that individual for that specific show.

Shorthorn Premium			
	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$25	\$20	\$10

Open Shorthorn Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Spring Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
2. Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
3. JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
4. RESERVE JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
5. Winter Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
6. Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
7. CALF CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
8. RESERVE CALF CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
9. Summer Yearling Females	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
10. Late Spring Yearling Females	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
11. Early Spring Yearling Females	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
12. JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
13. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
14. Junior Yearling Females	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
15. Senior Yearling Females	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
16. SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
17. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
18. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
19. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

BULL CLASSES

20. Spring Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
21. Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
22. JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
23. RESERVE JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
24. Winter Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
25. Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
26. CALF CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
27. RESERVE CALF CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
28. Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
29. Late Spring Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
30. Early Spring Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
31. Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
32. JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
33. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
34. Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
35. Two-Year-Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 6/30/08	(Premium A)
36. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
37. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
38. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
39. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

40. Group of Two Females: Bred and owned or co-owned by breeder (exhibitor)	(Banner & Premium A)
41. Group-of-Two Bulls: Bred and owned or co-owned by breeder.	(Banner & Premium A)
42. Super Cow: Two offspring of either or same sex . Offspring do not need to be owned by the same exhibitor.	(Banner & Premium A)
43. Get-of-Sire: Four animals, by one sire, any age, either or both sexes.	(Banner & Premium A)
44. Best-Six-Head: Owned or co-owned by exhibitor.	(Banner & Premium A)

International Simbrah Show

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$250
Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association.	\$250
Total Premium Available.....	\$500

Judge – Tim Ishee – Laurel, MS

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Weigh & Measure	Tuesday	March 1	1 p.m.
Sale:	Tuesday	March 1	7 p.m.
Show:	Wednesday	March 2	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Wednesday	March 2	noon
Must Be Out By:	Wednesday	March 2	5 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for International Simbrah Show

1. Animals must be registered with the American Simmental Association as purebred Simbrah.
2. Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association reserves the right to bar any animal/exhibitor from showing that does not meet the requirements of this show. Entries will be weighed and measured on Tuesday, March 1 at 5 p.m. Frame scores using Beef Improvement Federation guidelines, weight, weight per day of age (WDA) and the most current EPDs on all entries will be collected. Scrotal circumference will be measured on all bulls entered in the bull division. Weights, WDA's and EPDs will be printed for each animal in the show program. The frame scores will be reported in the show program either as class ranges (minimum and maximum for each class) or on an individual basis. The performance information will be provided to the judge to use in conjunction with visual appraisal.
3. Bulls 15 months of age and older must have a current semen test/breeding soundness exam and show to be a satisfactory breeder. The test must have been done within 30 days prior to the show date.
4. Bulls 12 months of age or older must be shown with a nose lead or ring.
5. Females 18 months of age or older must be: a) certified pregnant by a licensed, non-owner veterinarian or b) have certification that she has been used in embryo transfer.
6. No calf, either heifer or bull, can be shown at side of dam if older than 205 days on day of show.

International Simbrah Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd
A:	\$12	\$7

International Simbrah Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Summer Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
2. Spring Heifer Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
3. Late Junior Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
4. Early Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
5. HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
6. RESERVE HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
7. Late Senior Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
8. Early Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
9. Late Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
10. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
11. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
12. Early Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
13. Late Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
14. Early Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
15. JUNIOR CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
16. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
17. Late Senior Yearling Heifers	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
18. Early Senior Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
19. Two Year Old Heifers	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	(Premium A)
20. SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
21. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
22. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

BULL CLASSES

24. Summer Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
25. Spring Bull Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
26. Late Junior Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
27. Early Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
28. BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
29. RESERVE BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
30. Late Senior Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
31. Early Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
32. Late Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
33. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
34. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
35. Early Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
36. Late Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
37. Early Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
38. JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
39. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
40. Late Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
41. Early Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
42. Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	(Premium A)
43. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
44. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
45. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
46. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

47. Get-of-Sire: Three animals by one sire, either or both sexes represented, no ownership requirement.
48. Best-Three-Head: Owned or co-owned by exhibitor, either or both sexes represented.
49. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals by one dam, either or both sexes represented, no ownership requirement.

International Simmental Show

Department A

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$250
Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association.	\$250
Total Premium Available.....	\$500

Judge - TBD

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Monday	February 28	7 p.m.
Weigh & Measure	Tuesday	March 1	1 p.m.
Sale:	Tuesday	March 1	7 p.m.
Show:	Wednesday	March 2	12:15 p.m.
Begin Release:	Wednesday	March 2	3:30 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Wednesday	March 2	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for International Simmental Show

1. Animals must be registered with the American Simmental Association as purebred Simmental.
2. Texas Simmental/Simbrah Association reserves the right to bar any animal/exhibitor from showing that does not meet the requirements of this show. Entries will be weighed and measured on Tuesday, March 1 at 5 p.m. Frame scores using Beef Improvement Federation guidelines, weight, weight per day of age (WDA) and the most current EPDs on all entries will be collected. Scrotal circumference will be measured on all bulls entered in the bull division. Weights, WDA's and EPDs will be printed for each animal in the show program. The frame scores will be reported in the show program either as class ranges (minimum and maximum for each class) or on an individual basis. The performance information will be provided to the judge to use in conjunction with visual appraisal.
3. Bulls 15 months of age and older must have a current semen test/breeding soundness exam and show to be a satisfactory breeder. The test must have been done within 30 days prior to the show date.
4. Bulls 12 months of age or older must be shown with a nose lead or ring.
5. Females 18 months of age or older must be: a) certified pregnant by a licensed, non-owner veterinarian or b) have certification that she has been used in embryo transfer.
6. No calf, either heifer or bull, can be shown at side of dam if older than 205 days on day of show.

International Simmental Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd
A:	\$12	\$7

International Simmental Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Summer Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
2. Spring Heifer Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
3. Late Junior Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
4. Early Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
5. HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
6. RESERVE HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
7. Late Senior Heifer Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
8. Early Senior Heifer Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
9. Late Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
10. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
11. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
12. Early Summer Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
13. Late Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
14. Early Junior Yearling Heifers	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
15. JUNIOR CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
16. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner)
17. Late Senior Yearling Heifers	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
18. Early Senior Yearling Heifers	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
19. Two Year Old Heifers	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	(Premium A)
20. SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
21. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner)
22. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

BULL CLASSES

24. Summer Bull Calves	calved 5/1/10 or after	(Premium A)
25. Spring Bull Calves	calved 4/1/10 - 4/30/10	(Premium A)
26. Late Junior Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 - 3/31/10	(Premium A)
27. Early Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 - 2/28/10	(Premium A)
28. BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
29. RESERVE BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
30. Late Senior Bull Calves	calved 11/1/09 - 12/31/09	(Premium A)
31. Early Senior Bull Calves	calved 9/1/09 - 10/31/09	(Premium A)
32. Late Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 7/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A)
33. INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
34. RESERVE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
35. Early Summer Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/09 - 6/30/09	(Premium A)
36. Late Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 3/1/09 - 4/30/09	(Premium A)
37. Early Junior Yearling Bulls	calved 1/1/09 - 2/28/09	(Premium A)
38. JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
39. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
40. Late Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 9/1/08 - 12/31/08	(Premium A)
41. Early Senior Yearling Bulls	calved 5/1/08 - 8/31/08	(Premium A)
42. Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 - 4/30/08	(Premium A)
43. SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
44. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION BULL		(Banner)
45. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
46. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

47. Get-of-Sire: Three animals by one sire, either or both sexes represented, no ownership requirement.
48. Best-Three-Head: Owned or co-owned by exhibitor, either or both sexes represented.
49. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals by one dam, either or both sexes represented, no ownership requirement.

Dexter

Department A1

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$350
American Dexter Cattle Association, Region 7, Texas & Louisiana.....	\$1,150
Total Premium Available.....	\$1,500

Judge – Lee Standley – Weatherford, TX

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Show:	Monday	March 14	Upon Completion of Youth Dexter Show
Begin Release:	Tuesday	March 15	1:00 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Tuesday	March 15	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Dexter Show

1. The Texas Dexter Breeders Association, The American Dexter Cattle Association and Members of ADCA Region 7, pay a majority of the premiums for this show. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
2. Owners of exhibited animals must be current members of the American Dexter Cattle Association.
3. All animals must be properly identified using ear tags, neck chains, brands, etc., and must be legibly tattooed with the exact alpha-numeric identification that appears on the registration papers.
4. All animals must be halter broke to lead, and must be manageable, and all animals will compete in the show.
5. All animals must be registered with the American Dexter Cattle Association prior to entry. A copy of the Registration papers, in the sole name of the exhibitor or the partnership, must be furnished with the entry form for the show and sale. Calves under 6 months of age that are to be shown in cow/calf class do not need to be registered.
6. All entry forms and fees must be received by the deadline designated for the event. No exceptions will be made. No animals will be accepted that have not been properly entered. Entry fees for animals not brought to the show/sale will not be refunded.
7. Health certificates will be required for all entries, and will be checked and approved by the designated show veterinarian.
8. All bulls 12 months and older must have an affixed nose ring or nose clamp.
9. Steers must be dehorned or dock and a maximum age of 29 months.
10. Minimum Exhibitor Age in Breeders Class is 13.

Dexter Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$50	\$40	\$20
B:	\$200	\$100	

Open Dexter Show

FEMALE CLASSES

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|----------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Heifer Calf 9mo to 16mo | calved 9/15/09 - 6/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifer Calf 16 mo to 24 mo | calved 3/15/09 - 9/14/09 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifer Calf over 2 years | calved 3/14/09 or before | (Premium A) |
| 4. Cow/Calf | any age | (Premium A) |
| 5. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Premium B, Banner & Trophy) |
| 6. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Premium B, Banner & Trophy) |

BULL CLASSES

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 7. Bull Calf 9mo to 16mo | calved 9/15/09 - 6/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 8. Bull Calf 16mo to 24mo | calved 3/15/09 - 9/14/09 | (Premium A) |
| 9. Bull over 24mo | calved 3/14/09 or before | (Premium A) |
| 10. GRAND CHAMPION BULL | | (Premium B, Banner & Trophy) |
| 11. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | | (Premium B, Banner & Trophy) |

STEER CLASSES

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|----------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| 12. Light Weight | | |
| 13. Medium Weight | | |
| 14. Heavy Weight | | |
| 15. GRAND CHAMPION STEER | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 16. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STEER | | (Banner & Trophy) |

Lowline Angus

Department A1

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$700
Southwest Lowline Angus Breeders Association.....	\$1,500
Total Premium Available.....	\$2,200

Judge – Jim Williams – Boling, TX

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked in by:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Show:	Tuesday	March 15	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Tuesday	March 15	1 p.m.
Must be out by:	Tuesday	March 15	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Lowline Show

- Show entries must be made on current entry forms obtained from the Houston livestock Show and Rodeo.
 - Entry forms must be properly filled out and accompanied by a \$30.00 entry fee per head to the Show. Entries must be postmarked by January 5, 2011 and returned to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
 - All animals exhibited must be recorded in the name of the exhibitor by March 1, 2011. A copy of the registration paper or an affidavit of registration must accompany each animal to the show. It is not necessary to mail registration certificates with entries. This will be a five-division show: 1.) Fullblood Bulls, 2.) Purebred/Percentage Bulls 3.) Fullblood Females, 4.) Purebred/Percentage Females and 5) Steers. Group classes may contain both Fullblood and Purebred/Percentage animals. Percentage animals must be at least 50% lowline.
 - Proof of satisfactory semen evaluation for bulls born prior to November 1, 2007 must be submitted at time of check-in.
- Rules 5-8 will be checked before exhibitors are allowed to show.
- All cattle must be properly tattooed, including herd prefix, and will be inspected at the show. Tattoo must be legible and must match registration papers.
 - All cattle must meet the health requirements, which can be found on page 27. Any deviation will be just cause for immediate disqualification from the show.
 - All bulls born before July 1, 2010 must show with a nose lead. (The right to disqualify any animal deemed unmanageable is reserved by show officials.)
 - Any female with a calf at side must show in the Cow/Calf class.** All females born before January 1, 2009 must be shown with calf at side. All females born February 1, 2009 through September 30, 2009 must be accompanied by a verification of pregnancy signed by a licensed veterinarian. Exception to the rule of safe in calf will apply to: 1.) a donor female that has produced fertile eggs in the previous twelve (12) months as verified in a written statement from a licensed veterinarian or 2.) females shown with calf at side.

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10. All females shown in cow/calf class with a calf over 150 days of age must be bred back and must be accompanied by a verification of pregnancy signed by a licensed veterinarian. Exception to the safe in calf rule will apply to a donor female that has produced eggs in the previous twelve (12) months as verified by a written statement from a licensed veterinarian.

11. Cow/Calf classes – **Any female with a calf at side must show in the Cow/Calf class.** Calf must be cow's natural calf. Cows that are exhibited with calves at the side must be lactating. Calves must not exceed 240 days of age on day of judging and must be nursing. Calf entries in the Cow/Calf class may be shown individually providing individual entry has been made. Cows may be evaluated and screened out of the show on the basis of udder quality. Bulls may be evaluated and screened out of the show on the basis of testicle quality. The determination of the show committee will be final.

12. Any person found guilty of misrepresentation, or not abiding by the show rules, will be disqualified and denied the privilege of showing.

Open Lowline Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$16	\$14	\$8

Open Lowline Show

Percentage/Purebred Females

1. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 11/1/10 - 12/31/10	(Premium A)
2. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 9/1/10 – 10/31/10	(Premium A)
3. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
4. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10	(Premium A)
5. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
6. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
7. JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
8. JUNIOR HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)
9. Late Senior Heifer Calf	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
10. Early Senior Heifer Calf	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
11. SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
12. SENIOR HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)
13. Late Summer Yearling Heifer	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
14. Early Summer Yearling Heifer	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
15. Junior Yearling Heifer	calved 3/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
16. Junior Yearling Heifer	calved 1/1/09 – 2/29/09	(Premium A)
17. CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
18. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
19. Late Senior Yearling Heifer	calved 11/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
20. Early Senior Yearling Heifer	calved 9/1/08 – 10/31/08	(Premium A)
21. CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
22. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
23. Cow/Calf (See Rule #11)		
24. Cow born on or before Jan 31, 2009 with natural nursing calf (not embryo transplant)		
25. CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner)
26. RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner)
27. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE (Division Champions and Cow/Calf competing)		(Banner & Trophy)
28. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

Fullblood Females

29. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 11/1/10 - 12/31/10	(Premium A)
30. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 9/1/10 – 10/31/10	(Premium A)
31. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 7/1/10 – 8/30/10	(Premium A)
32. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10	(Premium A)
33. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
34. Junior Heifer Calf	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
35. JUNIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
36. JUNIOR HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)

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37. Late Senior Heifer Calf	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
38. Early Senior Heifer Calf	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
39. SENIOR HEIFER CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
40. SENIOR HEIFER CALF RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)
41. Late Summer Yearling Heifer	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
42. Early Summer Yearling Heifer	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
43. Junior Yearling Heifer	calved 3/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
44. Junior Yearling Heifer	calved 1/1/09 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
45. CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
46. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
47. Late Senior Yearling Heifer	calved 11/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
48. Early Senior Yearling Heifer	calved 9/1/08 – 10/31/08	(Premium A)
49. CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
50. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER		(Banner)
51. Cow/Calf (See Rule #11)		
52. Cow born on or before Jan 31, 2009 with natural nursing calf (not embryo transplant)		
53. CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner)
54. RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner)
55. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE (Division Champions and Cow/Calf competing)		(Banner & Trophy)
56. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

Percentage/Purebred Bulls

57. Junior Bull Calf	calved 11/1/10 - 12/31/10	(Premium A)
58. Junior Bull Calf	calved 9/1/10 – 10/31/10	(Premium A)
59. Junior Bull Calf	calved 7/1/10 – 8/30/10	(Premium A)
60. Junior Bull Calf	calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10	(Premium A)
61. Junior Bull Calf	calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
62. Junior Bull Calf	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
63. JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
64. JUNIOR BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)
65. Late Senior Bull Calf	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
66. Early Senior Bull Calf	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
67. SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
68. SENIOR BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)
69. Late Summer Yearling Bull	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
70. Early Summer Yearling Bull	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
71. Junior Yearling Bull	calved 3/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
72. Junior Yearling Bull	calved 1/1/09 – 2/29/09	(Premium A)
73. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
74. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
75. Late Senior Yearling Bull	calved 11/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
76. Early Senior Yearling Bull	calved 9/1/08 – 10/31/08	(Premium A)
77. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
78. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
79. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
80. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

Fullblood Bulls

81. Junior Bull Calf	calved 11/1/10 – 12/31/10	(Premium A)
82. Junior Bull Calf	calved 9/1/10 – 10/31/10	(Premium A)
83. Junior Bull Calf	calved 7/1/10 – 8/30/10	(Premium A)
84. Junior Bull Calf	calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10	(Premium A)
85. Junior Bull Calf	calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
86. Junior Bull Calf	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
87. JUNIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
88. JUNIOR BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)
89. Late Senior Bull Calf	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
90. Early Senior Bull Calf	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
91. SENIOR BULL CALF CHAMPION		(Banner)
92. SENIOR BULL CALF RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner)
93. Late Summer Yearling Bull	calved 7/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
94. Early Summer Yearling Bull	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
95. Junior Yearling Bull	calved 3/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)

96. Junior Yearling Bull	calved 1/1/09 – 2/29/09	(Premium A)
97. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
98. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
99. Late Senior Yearling Bull	calved 11/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
100. Early Senior Yearling Bull	calved 9/1/08 – 10/31/08	(Premium A)
101. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
102. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
103. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
104. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

Cow/Calf pairs shown in group classes will count as two animals.

105. GET-OF-SIRE – Three animals by one sire, any age, both sexes represented, may be owned by more than one exhibitor, Fullblood or Percentage. All animals must have been shown in individual classes. (Banner)

106. BREEDER'S BEST SIX HEAD – Exhibitor must be breeder and first owner. Fullblood or Percentage. Animals must have been shown in individual classes. (Banner)

Steer Classes

107. Prospect Steers	calved 3/15/10 – 3/15/11	(Premium A)
108. CHAMPION PROSPECT STEER		(Banner)
109. RESERVE CHAMPION PROSPECT STEER		(Banner)
110. Market Steers		(Premium A)
111. CHAMPION MARKET STEER		(Banner)
112. RESERVE CHAMPION MARKET STEER		(Banner)

Miniature Hereford

Department A1

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$1,450
Miniature Hereford Breeders Association (MHBA).....	\$1,500
Total Premium Available.....	\$2,950

Judge – Levi Douglas – College Station, TX

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked in by:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Weigh/Measure:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Open Show:	Tuesday	March 15	8 a.m.
Pre-Junior Show:	Tuesday	March 15	upon completion of Open show
Begin Release:	Tuesday	March 15	1 p.m.
Must be out by:	Tuesday	March 15	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Miniature Hereford Show

1. The Miniature Hereford Breeders Association, pays the majority of the premiums for this show. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
2. Entries must be registered with the American Hereford Association. Animals with 'pending' or 'applied for' registration are not eligible to show.
3. 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 and Sale Committee representing the MHBA.
4. All exhibitors must be current members of the MHBA in order to be eligible to show.
5. All entries will be measured. Maximum height to be shown in these classes is frame score 1 (one) on the extended graph of the AHA chart, 45 inches on mature females and 48 inches on mature bulls. Any animal exceeding the height limit will not be eligible to show.
6. All horned and polled Miniature Hereford cattle will show together.
7. Any animal without a legible tattoo will not be eligible to show.

Miniature Hereford Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$55	\$40	\$20

Open Miniature Hereford Show

FEMALE CLASSES

1. Fall & Winter Junior Heifer Calves	calved 7/1/10 – 12/31/10	(Premium A)
2. CHAMPION FALL & WINTER JUNIOR HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
3. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL & WINTER JUNIOR HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
4. Summer Junior Heifer Calves	calved 6/1/10 – 6/30/10	(Premium A)
5. Summer Junior Heifer Calves	calved 5/1/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
6. Summer Junior Heifer Calves	calved 4/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
7. CHAMPION SUMMER JUNIOR HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
8. RESERVE CHAMPION SUMMER JUNIOR HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
9. Spring Junior Heifer Calves	calved 3/1/10 – 3/31/10	(Premium A)
10. Spring Junior Heifer Calves	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
11. CHAMPION SPRING JUNIOR HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
12. RESERVE CHAMPION SPRING JUNIOR HEIFER CALF		(Banner)
13. Fall & Winter Intermediate Heifers	calved 11/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
14. Fall & Winter Intermediate Heifers	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
15. CHAMPION FALL & WINTER INTERMEDIATE HEIFER		(Banner)
16. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL & WINTER INTERMEDIATE HEIFER		(Banner)
17. Summer Intermediate Heifers	calved 7/1/09 – 8/30/09	(Premium A)
18. Summer Intermediate Heifers	calved 5/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
19. CHAMPION SUMMER INTERMEDIATE HEIFER		(Banner)
20. RESERVE CHAMPION SUMMER INTERMEDIATE HEIFER		(Banner)
21. Spring Intermediate Heifers	calved 1/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
22. CHAMPION SPRING INTERMEDIATE HEIFER		(Banner)
23. RESERVE CHAMPION SPRING INTERMEDIATE HEIFER		(Banner)
24. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner & Trophy)
25. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER		(Banner & Trophy)
26. Cow/Calf* (any female older than the above ages with calf at side)		
*Calf must not be more than 270 days of age on show date.		
Cow/Calf class does not compete for Grand Champion Heifer		
27. CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner & Trophy)
28. RESERVE CHAMPION COW/CALF		(Banner & Trophy)

FEMALE GROUP CLASSES

29. Pair of Females		
Two Females bred & owned by exhibitor; judged after Champion Female selection (Females must have been entered and shown in individual classes)		
30. CHAMPION PAIR OF FEMALES		(Banner)
31. RESERVE CHAMPION PAIR OF FEMALES		(Banner)

BULL CLASSES

32. Fall & Winter Junior Bull Calves	calved 7/1/10 – 12/31/10	(Premium A)
33. CHAMPION FALL & WINTER JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
34. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL & WINTER JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
35. Summer Junior Bull Calves	calved 5/16/10 – 6/30/10	(Premium A)
36. Summer Junior Bull Calves	calved 4/1/10 – 5/15/10	(Premium A)
37. CHAMPION SUMMER JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
38. RESERVE CHAMPION SUMMER JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
39. Spring Junior Bull Calves	calved 3/1/10 – 3/31/10	(Premium A)
40. Spring Junior Bull Calves	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
41. CHAMPION SPRING JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
42. RESERVE CHAMPION SPRING JUNIOR BULL CALF		(Banner)
43. Fall & Winter Intermediate Bulls	calved 11/1/09-12/31/09	(Premium A)
44. Fall & Winter Intermediate Bulls	calved 9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
45. CHAMPION FALL & WINTER INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
46. RESERVE CHAMPION FALL & WINTER INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
47. Summer Intermediate Bulls	calved 5/1/09 – 8/30/09	(Premium A)
48. CHAMPION SUMMER INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
49. RESERVE CHAMPION SUMMER INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
50. Spring Intermediate Bulls	calved 1/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
51. CHAMPION SPRING INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
52. RESERVE CHAMPION SPRING INTERMEDIATE BULL		(Banner)
53. Two Year Old Bulls	calved 1/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
54. CHAMPION TWO YEAR OLD BULL		(Banner)
55. RESERVE CHAMPION TWO YEAR OLD BULL		(Banner)
56. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

(classes continued on next page)

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57. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL

(Banner & Trophy)

BULL GROUP CLASSES

58. Pair of Bulls

59. CHAMPION PAIR OF BULLS

(Banner)

Two Bulls, bred & owned by exhibitor; judged after Champion Bull selection
(Bulls must have been entered and shown in individual classes)

60. RESERVE CHAMPION PAIR OF BULLS

(Banner)

STEER CLASSES (Will be divided equally according to weight if there are more than 7 entries)

61. Prospect Steers

(Premium A)

62. Prospect Steers

(Premium A)

63. CHAMPION PROSPECT STEER

(Banner)

64. RESERVE CHAMPION PROSPECT STEER

(Banner)

65. Market Steers

(Premium A)

66. Market Steers

(Premium A)

67. CHAMPION MARKET STEER

(Banner)

68. RESERVE CHAMPION MARKET STEER

(Banner)

PREMIER EXHIBITOR

(Banner)

PREMIER BREEDER

(Banner)

Premier Breeder will be awarded based on the following point system:

1 st place.....	5 points
2 nd place.....	4 points
3 rd place.....	3 points
4 th place.....	2 points
5 th place.....	1 point

No points will be given for champions. Calculations and award for premier breeder is controlled by the Miniature Hereford Breeders Association.

Pre-Junior Miniature Hereford Steer & Heifer Show

2011 Rules and Regulations

All Pre-Junior Miniature Hereford Steer Show exhibitors shall understand and abide by these rules and regulations as set forth by the Miniature Hereford Breeders Association in order to participate.

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 OOC (out of class) and will not be eligible for prizes or premiums.
- e.) Steers will be allowed 1/2 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 Feb. 1, 2010.
- b.) Ownership of Market steers must be established by Feb. 1, 2010.
- 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 a 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 & height

- a.) The weight recorded at the time of check-in will be the official weight & height of the animal.

7. Check weight & 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 are required to show their animal. Participants under the age of 5 will be required to have parental, sibling, or other participant accompaniment in the show ring.
- b.) All participants may have parental, sibling, or other participant accompaniment in the show ring.
- 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. These harnesses hold the number in place 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 OOC may participate in this competition.

Pre-Junior Miniature Hereford Show

11. Safety

a.) The purpose for the Pre-Junior steer classes is to offer the opportunity to young cattlemen & 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 agriculturalists to enjoy their showing days, from the beginning on up, so please, make sure the children and 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.

12. Animal Health

a.) Animals entered must be within the guidelines of the Livestock Health Requirements. Make sure your animal has all the required paperwork complete in order to enter and participate in the show. Brand inspections are required from areas within Brand Inspection Areas. Please check carefully the guidelines for each show, as they are similar but somewhat different.

Pre-Junior Classes

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|---|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Prospect Steers | | |
| 2. Prospect Steers | | |
| (Classes 1 and 2 divided according to weight and number of entries) | | |
| 3. CHAMPION PROSPECT STEER | | (Banner) |
| 4. RESERVE CHAMPION PROSPECT STEER | | (Banner) |
| 5. Market Steers | | |
| 6. Market Steers | | |
| (Classes 5 and 6 divided according to weight and number of entries) | | |
| 7. CHAMPION MARKET STEER | | (Banner) |
| 8. RESERVE CHAMPION MARKET STEER | | (Banner) |
| 9. Junior Heifers | 5/1/10 – 3/1/11 | |
| 10. Junior Heifers | 1/1/10 - 4/30/10 | |
| 11. JUNIOR HEIFER CHAMPION | | (Banner) |
| 12. JUNIOR HEIFER RESERVE CHAMPION | | (Banner) |
| 13. Intermediate Heifers | 6/1/09 – 12/31/09 | |
| 14. Intermediate Heifers | 1/1/09 – 5/31/09 | |
| 15. INTERMEDIATE HEIFER CHAMPION | | (Banner) |
| 16. INTERMEDIATE HEIFER RESERVE CHAMPION | | (Banner) |
| 17. Pre-Junior Showmanship | | (Ribbons for each participant) |
| 18. PRE-JUNIOR CHAMPION SHOWMAN | | (Banner) |
| 19. PRE-JUNIOR RESERVE CHAMPION SHOWMAN | | (Banner) |

Texas Longhorn Haltered Show

Department A1


Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$500
Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America.....	\$500
Total Premium Available.....	\$1,000

Judge – TBD

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Open Trophy Steer Show	Sunday	March 13	5:30 p.m.
			or upon completion of the Youth Show
Show:	Monday	March 14	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Monday	March 14	2 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Monday	March 14	10 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Texas Longhorn Show

1. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo requires that all animals entering the show ring be registered in a Longhorn association recognized by the Show. A copy of registration papers must be mailed with entries.
2. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo reserves the right to present for registry any animal entered in the show to any longhorn association recognized by Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. This will be done at no charge to the exhibitor/owner.
3. Any recognized association desiring to sanction this show as a “qualifier,” “official” or other like term may request permission to do so from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
4. Any additional awards offered by any association, group or individual is permitted but must be pre-approved by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
5. For the 2011 Show, the International Texas Longhorn Association (ITLA) and the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America (TLBAA) are recognized by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo .
-  6. An additional \$10 entry fee will be collected upon entry and will be remitted to TLBGCA upon completion of show. **All Longhorn entries MUST be accompanied with a separate \$10 check made payable to TLBGCA. DO NOT INCLUDE THE \$10 TLBGCA FEE WITH YOUR HLSR ENTRY CHECK.**

Texas Longhorn Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$20	\$15	\$10

Open Texas Longhorn Show

JUNIOR FEMALE CLASSES

1. Females	calved 9/1/10 – 12/31/10	(Premium A)
2. Females	calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
3. Females	calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10	(Premium A)
4. Females	calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
5. Females	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
6. CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
7. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE		(Banner)

SENIOR FEMALE CLASSES

8. Females	calved 9/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
9. Females	calved 5/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
10. Females	calved 1/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
11. Females	calved 1/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A)
12. CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
13. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE		(Banner)
14. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
15. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

MATURE FEMALE CLASSES

16. Females	calved 1/1/04 – 12/31/07	(Premium A)
17. Females	calved 12/31/03 and before	(Premium A)
18. CHAMPION MATURE FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)
19. RESERVE CHAMPION MATURE FEMALE		(Banner & Trophy)

JUNIOR BULL CLASSES

20. Bulls	calved 9/1/10 – 9/30/10	(Premium A)
21. Bulls	calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
22. Bulls	calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10	(Premium A)
23. Bulls	calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10	(Premium A)
24. Bulls	calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
25. CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)
26. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL		(Banner)

SENIOR BULL CLASSES

27. Bulls	calved 9/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
28. Bulls	calved 5/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
29. Bulls	calved 1/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A)
30. CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
31. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR BULL		(Banner)
32. GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)
33. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL		(Banner & Trophy)

STEER CLASSES

All steer classes will be judged on horseback. Steers must be halter broke and led to the arena at which time they will be turned out and judged on horseback.

34. Junior Steers	calved 1/1/08 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
35. Junior Steers	calved 1/1/06 – 12/31/07	(Premium A)
36. CHAMPION JUNIOR STEER		(Banner)
37. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR STEER		(Banner)
38. Senior Steers	calved 12/31/05 & before	(Premium A)
39. CHAMPION SENIOR STEER		(Banner)
40. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR STEER		(Banner)
41. GRAND CHAMPION STEER		(Banner & Trophy)
42. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STEER		(Banner & Trophy)

GROUP CLASSES

43. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals, natural birth, any sex and must have the same owner.	(Banner)
44. Get-of-Sire: Three animals, natural birth, both sexes, 2 or more different dams, can have different owners.	(Banner)

Miniature Zebu

Department A1

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$500
American Miniature Zebu Association.....	\$500
Total Premium Available.....	\$1,000

Judge – Robbie Sands – Alachua, FL

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked in by:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Show:	Monday	March 14	1 p.m.
Begin Release:	Tuesday	March 15	1 p.m.
Must be out by:	Tuesday	March 15	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Miniature Zebu Show

1. The American Miniature Zebu Association, pays 50 percent of the premiums for this show. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
2. A photo copy of the original AMZA registration certificate is required for any animal entered and the document must be presented to the Show before the animal is shown.
3. Proof of ownership shall be the name on the registration certificate, unless ownership has changed within 90 days of the Show and a transfer of ownership form is presented with the photo copy of the certificate. In that case, ownership shall be the name listed on the transfer form.
4. An animal may be judged in only one age class. Proof of birth date shall be the birth date on the animal's registration certificate.
5. The base date for computing the age of the animal shall be the day the animal is to be judged, unless otherwise stated by a Show Management in its rules governing livestock. This date must be stated on the Show entry application and rules.
6. Health certificates may be required if specified in the Official Show Rules. When health certificates are not required, the Show officials shall see that all animals brought to the show grounds are in apparent good health and free from noticeable disease. Show officials may deny entry if an animal does not appear in good health.
7. Any animal disqualified from its class will not be counted in the total number of animals shown for sanction purposes.
8. Animals under 6 months of age are excluded from the rule requiring identification as a condition for recording a Grand or Reserve Grand Champion win.
9. There are no minimum or maximum age restrictions.
10. All miniature zebu must be shown in their natural state.
11. The only clipping allowed for cattle shown is inner ear, genitalia and whiskers. No body clipping is allowed.
12. No paint, dye, chalk or glitter may be used to modify appearance. Only clear polish may be used on hoofs and horns.
13. Tail switch cannot be embellished in any way no additions to the switch may be added.

Miniature Zebu Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$20	\$15	\$5

Open Miniature Zebu Show

Date for determining age is March 14, 2011

FEMALES

(Jr. Cows never freshed)

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| 1. Females | calved 11/16/10 – 3/15/11 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Females | calved 7/16/10 – 11/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Females | calved 3/16/10 – 7/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Females | calved 9/16/09 – 3/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 5. Females | calved 3/16/09 – 9/15/09 | (Premium A) |
| 6. Females | calved 9/16/08 – 3/15/09 | (Premium A) |
| 7. Females | calved 3/16/08 – 9/15/08 | (Premium A) |
| 8. GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 9. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION HEIFER | | (Banner & Trophy) |

Senior Cows

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| 10. Females | calved 3/15/08 and after | (Premium A) |
| 11. Females | calved 3/16/07 – 3/15/08 | (Premium A) |
| 12. Females | calved 3/16/06 – 3/15/07 | (Premium A) |
| 13. Females | calved 3/16/05 – 3/15/06 | (Premium A) |
| 14. Females | calved 3/15/05 and older | (Premium A) |
| 15. GRAND CHAMPION COW | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 16. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION COW | | (Banner & Trophy) |

BULLS

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| 17. Bulls | calved 9/16/10 – 3/15/11 | (Premium A) |
| 18. Bulls | calved 3/16/10 – 9/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 19. Bulls | calved 9/16/09 – 3/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 20. Bulls | calved 3/16/09 – 9/15/09 | (Premium A) |
| 21. GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 22. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 23. Bulls | calved 3/16/08 – 3/15/09 | (Premium A) |
| 24. Bulls | calved 3/16/07 – 3/15/08 | (Premium A) |
| 25. Bulls | calved 3/16/06 – 3/15/07 | (Premium A) |
| 26. Bulls | calved 3/16/06 and older | (Premium A) |
| 27. GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 28. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |

STEERS

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|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| 29. Steers | calved 9/16/10 – 3/15/11 | (Premium A) |
| 30. Steers | calved 3/16/10 – 9/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 31. Steers | calved 3/16/09 – 3/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 32. Steers | calved 3/16/08 – 3/15/09 | (Premium A) |
| 33. Steers | calved 3/15/08 and older | (Premium A) |
| 34. GRAND CHAMPION STEER | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 35. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STEER | | (Banner & Trophy) |

CHAMPION CHALLENGE CLASSES

Only PGCH, Permanent Grand Champion cattle may enter classes 36, 37, and 38. All PGCH cattle will compete with the Grand Champions of the day for the Champion Challenge winners. Any animal entered in a Champion Challenge class may not be entered in their respective age classes.

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| 36. Champion Challenge Cow | (Banner) |
| 37. Champion Challenge Bull | (Banner) |
| 38. Champion Challenge Steer | (Banner) |

GROUP CLASSES

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| 39. Sire and Son: Sire must be owned by the exhibitor, son may be owned by any other exhibitor and be any age, but must have been shown in its age class. | (Banner) |
| 40. Dam and Daughter: Dam must be owned by exhibitor, daughter may be owned by any other exhibitor and be any age, but must have been shown in its age class. | (Banner) |

Youth Dexter

Department A2

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$350
American Dexter Cattle Association, Region 7, Texas & Louisiana.....	\$2,800
Total Premium Available.....	\$3,150

Judge – TBD

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Show:	Monday	March 14	3:00 p.m.
Begin Release:	Tuesday	March 15	1:00 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Tuesday	March 15	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Youth Dexter Show

1. The Texas Dexter Breeders Association, The American Dexter Cattle Association and members of ADCA Region 7 pay a percentage of the premiums for this show. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
2. Owners of exhibited animals must be current members of the American Dexter Cattle Association.
3. All animals must be properly identified using ear tags, neck chains, brands, etc., and must be legibly tattooed with the exact alpha-numeric identification that appears on the registration papers.
4. All animals must be halter broke to lead, and must be manageable.
5. All animals will compete in the show.
6. All animals must be registered with the American Dexter Cattle Association prior to entry. A copy of the Registration papers, in the sole name of the exhibitor or the partnership, must be furnished with the entry form for the show. Calves under 6 months of age that are to be shown in cow/calf class do not need to be registered.
7. All entry forms and fees must be received by the deadline designated for the event. No exceptions will be made. No animals will be accepted that have not been properly entered. Entry fees for animals not brought to the show/sale will not be refunded.
8. Health certificates will be required for all entries, and will be checked and approved by the designated show veterinarian.
9. Steers must be dehorned or dock and a maximum age of 29 months.
10. Exhibitors in Youth Classes must be 18 or younger.

Dexter Premium Schedule

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
A:	\$70	\$45	\$20
B:	\$500	\$250	
C:	\$1,000	\$500	

Youth Dexter Show

FEMALE CLASSES

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| 1. Heifer Calf 9mo to 16mo | calved 9/15/09 - 6/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifer Calf 16mo to 24 mo | calved 3/15/09 - 9/14/09 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifer Calf over 2 years | calved 3/14/09 or before | (Premium A) |
| 4. Cow/Calf | any age | (Premium A) |
| 5. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Premium B, Banner & Trophy) |
| 6. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Premium B, Banner & Trophy) |

STEER CLASSES

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| 7. Light Weight | | (Premium A) |
| 8. Medium Weight | | (Premium A) |
| 9. Heavy Weight | | (Premium A) |
| 9. GRAND CHAMPION STEER | | (Premium C, Banner & Trophy) |
| 10. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STEER | | (Premium C, Banner & Trophy) |

Youth Texas Longhorn Show

Department A2


Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$500
Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America.....	\$500
Total To Be Applied to Awards ONLY.....	\$1,000

Judge – Gary Bowdoin – Crawford, TX

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Show	Sunday	March 13	1 p.m.
Begin Release:	Monday	March 14	2 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Monday	March 14	10 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the All Breeding Beef Cattle Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Youth Texas Longhorn Show

1. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo requires that all animals entering the show ring be registered in a Longhorn association recognized by the Show. A copy of registration papers must accompany entries.
2. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo reserves the right to present for registry any animal entered in the show to any Longhorn association recognized by Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. This will be done at no charge to the exhibitor/owner.
3. Any recognized association desiring to sanction this show as a “qualifier,” “official” or other like term may request permission to do so from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
4. Any additional awards offered by any association, group or individual is permitted but must be pre-approved by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
5. For the 2011 Youth Show the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America (TLBAA) will be the breed association recognized by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
-  6. Youth showmanship classes must be entered prior to January 5. No late entries will be accepted. An additional \$10 entry fee will be collected upon entry and will be remitted to TLBGCA upon completion of show. **All Longhorn entries MUST be accompanied with a separate \$10 check made payable to TLBGCA. DO NOT INCLUDE THE \$10 TLBGCA FEE WITH YOUR HLSR ENTRY CHECK.**

Youth Texas Longhorn Show

JUNIOR FEMALE CLASSES

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| 1. Females | calved 9/1/10 – 12/31/10 | |
| 2. Females | calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10 | |
| 3. Females | calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10 | |
| 4. Females | calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10 | |
| 5. Females | calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10 | |
| 6. CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 7. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |

SENIOR FEMALE CLASSES

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| 8. Females | calved 9/1/09 – 12/31/09 | |
| 9. Females | calved 5/1/09 – 8/31/09 | |
| 10. Females | calved 1/1/09 – 4/30/09 | |
| 11. Females | calved 1/1/08 – 12/31/08 | |
| 12. CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 13. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 14. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 15. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner & Trophy) |

JUNIOR BULL CLASSES

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| 16. Bulls | calved 9/1/10 – 12/31/10 | |
| 17. Bulls | calved 7/1/10 – 8/31/10 | |
| 18. Bulls | calved 5/1/10 – 6/30/10 | |
| 19. Bulls | calved 3/1/10 – 4/30/10 | |
| 20. Bulls | calved 1/1/10 – 2/28/10 | |
| 21. Bulls | calved 9/1/09 – 12/1/09 | |
| 22. GRAND CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 23. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BULL | | (Banner & Trophy) |

YOUNG STEER CLASSES

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| 24. Steers | calved 10/1/10 – 12/31/10 | |
| 25. Steers | calved 7/1/10 – 9/30/10 | |
| 26. Steers | calved 4/1/10 – 6/30/10 | |
| 27. Steers | calved 1/1/10 – 3/31/10 | |
| 28. Steers | calved 7/1/09 – 12/31/09 | |
| 29. Steers | calved 1/1/09 – 6/30/09 | |
| 30. GRAND CHAMPION LONGHORN STEER | | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 31. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LONGHORN STEER | | (Banner & Trophy) |

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSIFICATIONS (Entry fees for this Division will be \$10 due to TLBAA by entry date deadline)

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| 32. EXHIBITION CLASS (Pee Wee): Youth six years of age and under may show calves, Male or Female. This is the only class that will allow adults in the show arena. | (Banner) |
| 33. Division I: Junior Showmanship. Exhibitors 7-9 years of age as of Jan. 1, 2011. | (Banner) |
| 34. Division II: Intermediate Showmanship. Exhibitors 10-12 years of age as of Jan. 1, 2011. | (Banner) |
| 35. Division III: Teen Showmanship. Exhibitors 13-15 years of age as of Jan. 1, 2011 | (Banner) |
| 36. Division IV: Senior Showmanship. Exhibitors 16-18 years of age as of Jan.1, 2011. The top age limit for the Senior Division will be 18 years. | (Banner) |

All Breeds Registered Range Bull Sale

Department B

Begin Arrival:	Monday	February 28	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	February 28	5 p.m.
Grading:	Tuesday	March 1	8 a.m.
Sale:	Wednesday	March 2	noon
Begin Release:	Wednesday	March 2	4 p.m.
Must be out by	Wednesday	March 2	midnight

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for All Breeds Registered Range Bull Sale

- 1. Sale Manager:** The Show will employ a Sale Manager to coordinate with the All Breeds Livestock Sales Committee to conduct a sale by auction and properly account for all aspects of the sale.
- 2. Entry Requirements:** Entry in this division is open to individuals, firms, or partnerships. Consignor must be actively engaged in the breeding of the particular breed consigned and must have bred and raised all bulls, except bulls bred by another breeder purchased on or in dam or embryo or herd buyout, etc. **If consignor is not the recognized breeder of the bull, an explanation in writing must be attached to the nomination form.** Bulls originating from outside of the state of Texas can be consigned only by invitation of the All Breeds Livestock Sales Committee. Bulls must be registered in the herd books of their respective breed associations; signed (transfer) original registration papers must be in the hands of the sale manager prior to selling in the sale. (Sale manager **WILL NOT** accept application for registration in lieu of registration paper). This is not a trading sale. Registration certificates are expected to be in the name of CONSIGNOR (or a family member that is a member of the recording association). Transfer fees will be deducted from seller's accounts of sale and are expected to be at member rates.
- 2a. Entry Requirements:** A limited number of bulls from breed association programs that combine breeds and issue certificates on the bulls will be accepted for the sale. Bulls must conform to all other rules.
- 3. Allowable Number of Bulls:** Each consignor may enter not more than five bulls of any one breed in this division. (If sufficient numbers of bulls exists for any breed, then consignors may be asked to bring a maximum of four bulls.) The All Breeds Livestock Sales Committee shall determine total number of bulls to be sold and the number of bulls of each breed that will be sold to ensure a sale offering demanded by Today's Progressive Cattle People.
- 4. Fees:** Nomination fee of \$150 per head must accompany nomination form. All nominations received by November 15, 2010 will be given priority status; and entry received after November 15th but before December 15, 2010 will be considered in order of receipt. Selling fee (commission) will be eight percent of the gross sale price of each bull with a minimum commission of \$120. \$90 of the nomination fee shall apply to the commission. Total charges for bulls sold will be the same as in years past. Nomination fees are non-refundable after official acceptance of said nomination.
- 5. Nomination Form:** A nomination is not valid unless **nomination form** is completely filled out and received in the Sale Manager's Office with correct amount of nomination fees. A valid entry must include a copy of the registration paper(s) and **breed EPD's** and/or within herd performance data per Rule 7.
- 6. Age:** Bulls must be born between Aug. 15, 2008 and Sept. 30, 2009 (there will be no spring or summer 3 year olds.) Bulls must be sound and in good service condition to perform satisfactorily under average range conditions. Bulls should be strong boned, adequately muscled, well grown-out individuals with good heads, sound feet and legs, plenty of size for age and of an acceptable disposition to the average cowman.
- 7. EPDs:** Bulls are required to have breed EPD's if breed has such a program. If the breed does not have a performance program, bull must originate from herd with meaningful herd performance data to at least include weaning and yearling information and ratios.

All Breeds Registered Range Bull Sale

High performance bulls will be preferred over bulls with low performance as expressed through non-parent EPD's. EPD's will be as important as the phenotypic criteria expressed in Rule 6 above. Preference will be given to bulls with low or moderate birth weight EPD's and/or actual birth weights and to virgin bulls.

8. **Screening Committee:** Nominated bulls are subject to approval of a screening committee. Final determinations and approval will be made within context of Rule 3. Nomination fees for bulls not accepted by screening committee will be returned to consignor. Animals withdrawn from sale **after acceptance** by screening committee **WILL NOT** have nomination fee returned. Upon notification of acceptance, signed original registration papers not previously sent to sale manager **MUST** be forwarded at this time.
9. **Catalog:** Bulls accepted for sale by screening committee will be catalogued according to breed and breeder.
10. **Grading:** After arrival on Show grounds, all bulls will be subject to sifting and grading. A three person committee of experienced cow people will inspect each bull prior to grading and eliminate from grading and selling any bull that shows any defect, disease, infection, unsoundness **or limitation that could potentially detract from the animal's usefulness or that could later become a point of contention**. After sifting, each bull will be graded by a committee of not less than 10 and no more than 20 experienced cow people. Bulls, regardless of breed, will be subjected to the same grading standards to be determined by the All Breeds Livestock Sales Committee. Sale order of bulls will be established by the rank of the animal's average grade, regardless of breed.
11. **Arrival.** Bulls may enter the Show grounds after 7 a.m., Monday, February 28, 2011, and must be in place by 5 p.m. Grading of all bulls will begin at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, March 1.
12. **TAHC/Breeding Soundness Evaluation:** : Each consignor shall comply with applicable rules and regulations of Texas Animal Health Commission as well as Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, which can be found on page 32. Each bull must have an individual official TAHC health certificate showing compliance with Brucellosis and Trichomoniasis regulations and/or any other regulations in place at sale time. A separate "breeding soundness evaluation" statement supplied by the sale committee must be completed for each bull. Each bull must score above the minimum score to be accepted for the sale. This "breeding soundness evaluation" must be performed within 30 days of sale date and must accompany the TAHC health certificate.
13. **Pens/Feed:** Pens are assigned by the All Breeds Livestock Sales Committee. Pens are bedded with sand and sawdust on concrete. Water troughs are supplied by the Show; however, it is consignor's responsibility to provide his own feed trough. All hay fed to bulls MUST be fed in a hay net, NO EXCEPTIONS. Feed and hay may be purchased at the Livestock Feed Office.
14. **Sales:** Bulls not rejected by sifting committee must sell through the auction sale. Private treaty sales are not allowed. Consignor may pass out animal(s) if the highest bid is unacceptable; however, a pass out charge of 8 percent of the highest bid will be assessed.
15. **Guarantees:** Guarantees of any nature shall be between buyer and seller and shall not in any way bind the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, its officers, directors or the sale manager.
16. **General:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is not responsible for loss or damage to any animal.

All Breeds Commercial Female Sale

Department B

Begin Arrival:	Thursday	March 3	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Thursday	March 3	5 p.m.
Judging:	Friday	March 4	8 a.m.
Sale:	Saturday	March 5	noon
Begin Release:	Saturday	March 5	4 p.m.
Must be out by:	Saturday	March 5	midnight

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for All Breeds Commercial Female Sale

- 1. Sale Manager:** The Show will employ a Sale Manager to coordinate with the All Breeds Livestock Sales Committee to conduct a sale by auction and to properly account for all aspects of the sale.
- 2. Entry Requirements:** Entry in this division is open to individuals, firms, or partnerships. Entries can be registered, fullbloods or crossbreds, so long as they are in keeping with quality standards of the All Breeds Livestock Sales Committee. Preference will be given to breeds and crosses that are demanded and recognized for their maternal contributions to the mainstream commercial cowherds of the Gulf Coast area. Preference will be given to F-1 Brahman cross females. A limited number of open heifers will be accepted only from those who have consigned them the year before and then others. Preference will be given to females bred, raised, and consigned by one entity. Other females must have been owned by consignor by Oct. 1, 2010. Females originating from outside the state of Texas can be consigned only by invitation of the All Breeds Sale Manager.
- 3. Allowable Number of Females:** An entry shall consist of not less than five females. They should be uniform as to kind, age, size, pregnancy status, etc.
- 4. Fees:** A nomination fee of \$15 per head must accompany nomination form. All nominations received by Nov. 15, 2010, will be given priority status; any entry received after Nov. 15 until Dec. 15, 2010, will be considered in order of receipt. A selling fee (commission) of 7 percent of the gross sale will be charged.
- 5. Screening Committee:** Nominated females are subject to approval by a screening committee. Final selections will be made to provide for a sale make up of high quality, useful, productive females demanded by today's progressive commercial livestock breeders. Nomination fees for females not accepted for sale will be returned to consignor. Consignments withdrawn after acceptance and notice WILL NOT have nomination fees returned. Females accepted for the sale will be sifted at the Show to eliminate animals injured in transit, etc.
- 6. Judging:** A champion pen of females and "Blue Ribbon Quality" females will be named for up to eight classes if there are at least five pens of at least five head and two consignors for the class. Classes will probably be (but not limited to) Braford, Brangus, Brahman and Brahman Crosses, Santa Gertrudis and Crosses, English and Crosses and/or Exotics and Crosses. Sale Manager has the right to call the breed or cross for judging and/or sale purposes. If any judging class makes up a major portion of the sale offering, the Committee has the right to name Champion and "Blue Ribbon" pens of pairs, bred and/or open cattle for that class. Judging may begin anytime after 8 a.m. on Friday, March 4, 2011.
- 7. Pens/Feed:** Pens are assigned by Sale Committee or Sale Manager. Pens are bedded with sand and sawdust on concrete, and each has a water trough provided by the Show. Feed troughs, if desired, must be furnished by consignor. Each consignor shall feed, water and otherwise care for his/her females. All hay fed to females MUST be fed in a hay net, NO EXCEPTIONS.
- 8. TAHC:** Each consignor shall comply with applicable rules and regulations of the Texas Animal Health Commission as well as Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo requirements listed on page 32. All females must be accompanied by an official TAHC health certificate issued by an accredited veterinarian. Females, regardless of origin and/or test status, must be official Brucellosis Calf-hood Vaccinates. All females must be TB tested or originate from a TB Free Herd or State and meet applicable Texas regulations. Females, regardless of exposure status or age, must be palpated except for those females that have recently calved. Open females must be declared to be satisfactory potential breeders by an accredited veterinarian and so stated on the health certificate.

All Breeds Commercial Female Sale

- 9. Sales:** Private treaty sales are not allowed. Consignor may pass if the highest bid is unacceptable; however, a pass out charge of 7 percent of the highest bid will be assessed.
- 10. Guarantees:** Consignors guarantee females are breeders and females palpated to be bred will calve when indicated, according to either known breeding dates, dates of exposure and/or by best estimate of veterinarian. Consignors are responsible for health and viability of all calves born shortly before and/or after arrival at sale facility. All guarantees of any nature, either expressed or implied shall be between seller and buyer and shall not in any way bind the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, its Officers, Directors or the Sale Manager.
- 11. General:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is not responsible for loss or damage to any animal.

Dairy Cattle

Department C

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo..... \$8,000

Superintendent – Dr. Glenn Holub - College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Ron Woolley - Stephenville, Texas

Judge – Curtis Day – Burnsville, MN

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Show:	Monday	March 14	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Monday	March 14	2 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Monday	March 14	10 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Dairy Cattle Show

1. **Junior Entries:** Entries in the Junior Dairy Show are allowed to enter in this department.
2. **Number of Entries:** There is no longer a limit on the number of dairy cattle entries an exhibitor may enter.
3. **Registration Papers:** A certificate of registration on each animal entered in the Dairy Cattle Show must be available on arrival at the Show. Application for transfer and pending registration will not be accepted.
4. **Scoring:** Evaluation of defects as listed on the Unified Dairy Cattle Score Card published by the Purebred Dairy Cattle Association shall be used by the judge as his basis for placing or for ruling out an animal shown with blemishes.
5. **Stall Space:** No exhibitor will be given space in the show barns for more cattle than are entered for competition. Stall space is not guaranteed for each entry fee paid in the cattle shows.
6. **Breed Shows:** The breed shows are as follows: BROWN SWISS, JERSEY, and HOLSTEIN. Class schedules, numbers, and age requirements are the same for all breeds, but premium schedules may vary from breed to breed. The following premium schedule and designation of classes will apply to each of the three breeds.

Dairy Cattle Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
A:	\$55	\$45	\$30	\$20
B:	\$50	\$40	\$30	
C:	Grand Champion (Each Breed)			\$500

Open Dairy Cattle Show

The breed shows are as follows: BROWN SWISS, JERSEY, and HOLSTEIN. Class schedules, numbers, and age requirements are the same for all breeds.

FEMALE CLASSES

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| 1. Heifers | calved 9/1/10 - 10/15/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifers | calved 6/1/10 - 8/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifers | calved 3/1/10 - 5/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Heifers | calved 12/1/09 - 2/28/10 | (Premium A) |
| 5. Heifers | calved 9/1/09 - 11/30/09 | (Premium A) |
| 6. Heifers (not in milk) | calved 6/1/09 - 8/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 7. Heifers (not in milk) | calved 12/1/08 - 5/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 8. JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE, classes 1-7 | | (Banner) |
| 9. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 10. Senior Two-Year-Old Cow
(including younger freshened animals) | calved 9/1/08 - 11/30/08 | (Premium A) |
| 11. Three -Year-Old Cow | calved 9/1/07 - 8/31/08 | (Premium A) |
| 12. Four-Year-Old Cow | calved 9/1/06 - 8/31/07 | (Premium A) |
| 13. Five-Year-Old Cow | calved 9/1/05 - 8/31/06 | (Premium A) |
| 14. Aged Cow | calved 8/31/05 or before | (Premium A) |
| 15. SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE, classes 10-14 | | (Banner) |
| 16. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE | | (Banner) |
| 17. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Premium C, Banner & Trophy) |
| 18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE | | (Banner) |

GROUP CLASSES

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| 19. Junior Best-Three-Females: Three animals, bred by the exhibitor and at least one owned by the exhibitor. | (Premium B) |
| 20. Produce-of-Dam: Two animals, not bull calves, any age, the produce of one cow. Cow must be named. Animals need not both be owned by exhibitor. | (Premium B) |
| 21. Breeders Herd-of-Five-Females: Two females over two years of age, two females eligible to show for Junior Champion Female and one female any age. Must be owned by exhibitor and three must have been bred by exhibitor, who is limited to one entry. | (Premium B) |
| 22. *Premier Exhibitor: Exhibitor winning the most points, according to point system listed below, on no more than six animals owned and exhibited by himself in the open single classes. | (Trophy) |
| 23. *Premier Breeder: Breeder winning the most points, according to point system listed below, on no more than six animals, exhibited by himself/herself and/or others in the open single classes. | (Trophy) |

*In the event of a tie in points for either Premier Exhibitor or Premier Breeder, the exhibitor exhibiting the highest placing aged cow will win. In case there is no aged cow, then the next oldest female class will be used until the tie is broken.

Dairy Cattle Show Premier Exhibitor and Premier Breeder Point System

PLACINGS:	POINTS SENIOR FEMALES	POINTS JUNIOR FEMALES
1st	20	10
2nd	18	9
3rd	16	8
4th	14	7
5th	12	6
6th	10	5
7th	8	4
8th	6	3
9th	4	2
10th	2	1

Open Breeding Sheep

Department D

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Sheep and Goat Committee..... \$10,200


Superintendent – Walter Gerhart - Winters, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Watt Wardlaw - San Antonio, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Jim Bollinger - Clifton, TX

Judge – Ray Hinton – Monte Vista, CO

Begin Arrival:	Friday	March 4	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Friday	March 4	3 p.m.
Check In By:	Friday	March 4	5 p.m.
Reception:	Friday	March 4	7 p.m.
Show:	Saturday	March 5	9 a.m.
Begin Release:	Saturday	March 5	upon completion of show
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	10 a.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Breeding Sheep Show

- Junior Entries:** Entries in the Junior Breeding Sheep Show may enter the Open Breeding Sheep Show by completing an Open entry application.
- Judges:** Open and Junior Breeding Sheep classes will be judged separately, under two judges in 2 separate show rings. The junior show will begin at 8 a.m. and the open show will begin at 9 a.m.
- Registry:** Breeding sheep must be registered in the recognized flock books of their respective breeds prior to March 4, 7a.m. and bear such identification as that breed association requires. The flock number must be recorded in the judges' record book at the time the Superintendent lists and classifies entries prior to the judging of the classes. Sheep not carrying proper ear identification coinciding with judges' record book at time of showing will be barred from competition.
-  **Number of Entries:** There is no limit on the number of breeding sheep entries an exhibitor may enter. Exhibitors will be restricted to one entry in each group class.
- Required Information:** It is not necessary for the exhibitor to specify a particular animal when entering the single classes; however, a separate entry application must be made and submitted to the Show before the entry deadline for each individual and group entry. Name, date of birth and registration number must be furnished at time of entry or upon arrival to Reliant Center.
- Breeding Ages:** For the purpose of this show, the following will apply regarding ages of breeding sheep:

Toothing of sheep to determine the age class in which they are shown will be done during check-in. Sheep with the following tooth development at check-in time will show in the listed classes, and they will not be toothed in the show ring.

- Lambs must be carrying all milk teeth. Lambs showing either or both of their first pair of permanent incisors may not show in the lamb classes.
 - Sheep eligible to compete in the two-tooth breeding classes must show only the first pair of permanent incisors. Sheep which have dropped their central pair of milk teeth and show one or both teeth of the first permanent pair may show as singles only in the two-tooth classes of their respective breeds.
 - Sheep showing the first two or three pairs of permanent incisors may show as singles in the four-to-six tooth class only.
 - Sheep with more than six permanent teeth may not exhibit in the show.
- Defects:** Sheep showing pronounced defect or abnormality will be barred from showing in the breeding classes.

Open Breeding Sheep Show

- 8. Shearing:** Open Rambouillet and Columbia must be shorn to the skin with a machine using Texas combs on or after October 20th of the year preceding the show. In the Delaine Division, lambs and two tooth sheep may be shown in full fleece. Four to six tooth sheep must be shorn to the skin with a machine using Texas combs on or after March 10th of the year preceding the show. Boots and top knots may be left on sheep. The superintendent and his committee has the right to determine if this rule has been complied with and disqualify any animal not meeting this criteria.
- 9. Coloring:** Artificial coloring of fleeces is not permitted.
- 10. Class Divisions:** Each of the eleven breeds competing in the open class sheep show are divided into 11 classes. The 11 breeds are: COLUMBIA, DELAINE-MERINO, DORSET, HAMPSHIRE, RAMBOUILLET, SHROPSHIRE, SOUTHDOWN, SUFFOLK, DORPER, ROYAL WHITE, and ORB. Class schedules, numbers, and age requirements (with the exception of special awards) are the same for all breeds. Show Management will make the final decision on combining breeds.
- 11. Show Order:** Show order will be determined upon arrival. Classes will be posted upon completion of check-in. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to review the check-in sheets that will be posted and contact the show superintendent on Friday, March 4 in the event that an entry/entries posted are in the incorrect class. All changes must be made prior to 8 am on Saturday, March 5.
- 12.** Exhibitors must wear back numbers while in show ring.
- 13. Premium Awards:** The following premium schedule will apply to each of the eleven breeds.

Open Breeding Sheep Premium Schedule A

Premium A	1st \$30	2nd \$20	3rd \$15	4th \$10
Premium B	Champion \$100	Reserve Champion \$50		
Premium C	\$350			

Good Herdsman Awards All receive a plaque

1st \$250	2nd \$125	3rd \$75	4th \$50
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RAM CLASSES

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| 1. Ram Lamb | (Premium A) |
| 2. Two-Tooth Lamb | (Premium A) |
| 3. Four-to-Six Tooth Lamb | (Premium A) |
| 4. CHAMPION RAM | (Banner and Premium B) |
| 5. RESERVE CHAMPION RAM | (Banner and Premium B) |

EWE CLASSES

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|--------------------------|------------------------|
| 6. Ewe Lamb | (Premium A) |
| 7. Two-Tooth Ewe | (Premium A) |
| 8. Four-to-Six Tooth Ewe | (Premium A) |
| 9. CHAMPION EWE | (Banner and Premium B) |
| 10. RESERVE CHAMPION EWE | (Banner and Premium B) |

GROUP CLASSES

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|--|------------------------|
| 11. 2 Rams of Any Age | (Premium A) |
| 12. 2 Ewes of Any Age | (Premium A) |
| 13. Best Pair-of-Sheep: Both sexes represented | (Premium A) |
| 14. Best of 5 Sheep: (1 Ram, 4 Ewes, any age) | (Premium A) |
| 15. SUPREME CHAMPION RAM | (Trophy and Premium C) |
| 16. SUPREME CHAMPION EWE | (Trophy and Premium C) |

Dairy Goat

Department H

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Sheep and Goat Committee.....	\$4,060
Jobi Goat Dairy / Mrs. J.B. Jelke.....	\$1,000
Total Premium Available.....	\$5,060


Superintendent – Scott Horner – Brenham, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Michelle Mihalek – Conroe, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Mauricio Cano - Navasota, Texas

Judge – Dan Laney – Los Lunas, NM

Begin Arrival:	Tuesday	March 1	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Tuesday	March 1	3 p.m.
Checked In By:	Tuesday	March 1	5 p.m.
Celebrity Dairy Goat			
Milking:	Tuesday	March 1	4 p.m.
Show:	Wednesday	March 2	8 a.m.
Reception	Wednesday	March 2	7 p.m.
Begin Release:	Thursday	March 3	upon completion of the youth show
Must Be Out By:	Thursday	March 3	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Dairy Goat Show

1. **ADGA:** This show will be held under the rules of the American Dairy Goat Association (ADGA) provided they do not conflict with any of the rules and regulations prescribed by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo .
2. **Number of Entries:** Each exhibitor may enter as many as three animals in each of the single classes.
3. **Class Number:** Class number for the animal shall be determined by the date listed in the classes of the premium book.
4. **Registry:** All dairy goats must be registered with the ADGA, the American Goat Society, or the Canadian Goat Society.
5. **Breeding:** All dairy goats must be purebred, American or recorded grade and the registration certificate must be approved by the Superintendent or the Assistant Superintendent before the animal enters the show ring.
6. **Tattoos:** All dairy goats must have a legible tattoo that matches the one on the registration certificate. Re-tattooing is not permitted on Show premises. Should the judge find an unreadable tattoo or one that does not match the animal's registration certificate, all premium money and awards will be forfeited.
-  7. **Substitutions:** Substitutions are NOT allowed between Open and Youth dairy goat entries.
8. **Check In:** All Open and Youth Dairy Goat exhibitors must be checked in 5 p.m. on Tuesday, March 1. Once check in is complete, it is the exhibitors' responsibility to review the check in sheets that will be posted and contact the Show Superintendent on Tuesday, March 1 in the event that an entry/entries are posted in the incorrect class. All changes must be made prior to 8 a.m. on Wednesday, March 2. Class changes will not be allowed after the start of the Open Dairy Goat Show.
9. **Breeds:** The breeds and shows are: Nubian (A), Alpine (B), LaMancha (C), All Other Purebred (D), Recorded Grades (E), Saanen (F), and Nigerian Dwarves (G). Class schedules, age requirements, and premium money are the same for all breeds. Judging will be according to the above order with all breeds of Senior classes judged first followed by all breeds of Junior classes. Junior and Senior Shows are separately sanctioned.

Open Dairy Goat Show

Dairy Goat Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd	4 th
A:	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5
B:	Champion \$25		Res. Champion \$15	
C:	Best Doe in Show - \$30			

Good Herdsman Awards All receive a plaque

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
\$250	\$125	\$75	\$50

SENIOR CLASSES - Milking

1. Doe	3/01/09 and after	(Premium A)
2. Doe	3/01/08 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
3. Doe	3/01/06 – 2/28/08	(Premium A)
4. Doe	2/28/06 and before	(Premium A)
5. GRAND CHAMPION DOE		(Premium B, Banner & Trophy)
6. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION DOE		(Premium B, Banner & Trophy)
7. BEST SENIOR DOE-IN-SHOW		(Premium C & Trophy)

JUNIOR CLASSES – Non-Milking

8. Junior Kids	9/01/10 – 1/01/11	(Premium A)
9. Senior Kids	6/01/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
10. Junior Yearling	3/01/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
11. Senior Yearling	3/01/09 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
12. GRAND CHAMPION DOELING		(Premium B, Banner & Trophy)
13. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION DOELING		(Premium B, Banner & Trophy)
14. BEST JUNIOR DOE-IN-SHOW		(Premium C & Trophy)

Youth Dairy Goat

Department H1

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Sheep and Goat Committee..... \$ 4,400
Total Premium Available..... \$ 4,400

Superintendent – Scott Horner – Brenham, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Michelle Mihalek – Conroe, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Mauricio Cano - Navasota, Texas



Judge – Annette Maze – Spicewood, TX

Begin Arrival:	Tuesday	March 1	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Tuesday	March 1	3 p.m.
Checked In By:	Tuesday	March 1	5 p.m.
Celebrity Dairy Goat			
Milking:	Tuesday	March 1	4 p.m.
Reception	Wednesday	March 2	7 p.m.
Showmanship	Thursday	March 3	8 a.m.
Show:	Thursday	March 3	9 a.m.
Begin Release:	Thursday	March 3	upon completion of show
Must Be Out By:	Thursday	March 3	8 p.m.



This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Youth Dairy Goat Show

1. **ADGA:** This show will be held under the rules of the American Dairy Goat Association (ADGA) provided they do not conflict with any of the rules and regulations prescribed by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo .
2. **Number of Entries:** Each exhibitor may enter as many as three animals in each of the single classes.
3. **Class Number:** Class number for the animal shall be determined by the date listed in the classes of the premium book.
4. **Registry:** All dairy goats must be registered with the ADGA, the American Goat Society, or the Canadian Goat Society.
5. **Breeding:** All dairy goats must be purebred, American or recorded grade and the registration certificate must be approved by the Superintendent or the Assistant Superintendent before the animal enters the show ring.
6. **Tattoos:** All dairy goats must have a legible tattoo that matches the one on the registration certificate. Re-tattooing is not permitted on Show premises. Should the judge find an unreadable tattoo or one that does not match the animal's registration certificate, all premium money and awards will be forfeited.
-  7. **Substitutions:** Substitutions are NOT allowed between Open and Youth dairy goat entries.
8. **Check In:** All Open and Youth Dairy Goat exhibitors must be checked in 5 p.m. on Tuesday, March 1. Once check in is complete, it is the exhibitors' responsibility to review the check in sheets that will be posted and contact the Show Superintendent on Tuesday, March 1 in the event that an entry/entries are posted in the incorrect class. All changes must be made prior to 8 a.m. on Wednesday, March 2. Class changes will not be allowed after the start of the Open Dairy Goat Show.
9. **Breeds:** The breeds and shows are: Nubian (A), Alpine (B), LaMancha (C), All Other Purebred (D), Recorded Grades (E), Saanen (F), and Nigerian Dwarves (G). Class schedules, age requirements, and premium money are the same for all breeds. Judging will be according to the above. Junior and Senior Shows are not separately sanctioned.
10. **Eligibility:** This show is restricted to animals owned by youth under the age of 21 as per the American Dairy Goat Association Guidebook. The youth's name must appear on registration papers, or if the animal is owned under a family/farm name, there must be an authorized signature card from the registry that lists the youth as a member of that family. No signed transfers of ownership will be allowed in the Youth Show.
-  11. **Showmanship:** Any youth ADGA exhibitor under age 21 as of Thursday, March 3, 2011 is eligible to enter. Entries must be received by January 5, 2011. Entries will NOT be accepted upon arrival to Show.

Youth Dairy Goat Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$25	\$20	\$15
B:	\$25	\$15	C: \$30
C:	\$30		

Youth Dairy Goat Show

SENIOR CLASSES - Milking

1. Doe	3/01/09 and after	(Premium A)
2. Doe	3/01/08 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
3. Doe	3/01/06 – 2/28/08	(Premium A)
4. Doe	2/28/06 and before	(Premium A)
5. SENIOR CHAMPION DOE		(Premium B, Banner & Trophy)
6. RESERVE SENIOR CHAMPION DOE		(Premium B, Banner & Trophy)

JUNIOR CLASSES – Non-Milking

7. Junior Kids	9/01/10 – 1/01/11	(Premium A)
8. Senior Kids	6/01/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
9. Junior Yearling	3/01/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
10. Senior Yearling	3/01/09 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
11. JUNIOR CHAMPION		(Premium B, Banner & Trophy)
12. RESERVE JUNIOR CHAMPION		(Premium B, Banner & Trophy)
13. GRAND CHAMPION DOE		(ADGA Rosette, Banner & Trophy)
14. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION DOE		(ADGA Rosette, Banner & Trophy)
15. BEST SENIOR DOE-IN-SHOW		(Premium C & Trophy)
16. BEST JUNIOR DOE-IN-SHOW		(Premium C & Trophy)

SHOWMANSHIP

17. Junior Division	(age 9-13 as of Aug. 31, 2010)	(Rosette for Top 10)
18. JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPION		(Plaque)
19. RESERVE JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPION		(Plaque)
20. Senior Division	(age 14 and older as of Aug 31, 2010)	(Rosette for Top 10)
21. SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPION		(Plaque)
22. RESERVE SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPION		(Plaque)

Open Boer Goat

Department Y

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Sheep and Goat Committee.....	\$ 1,000
American Boer Goat Association	\$ 1,000
Total Premium Available.....	\$ 2,000


Superintendent –Glenn Avriett – New Braunfels, Texas

Judge – Charles Turner – Dublin, TX

Begin Arrival:	Tuesday	March 1	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Tuesday	March 1	3 p.m.
Checked In By:	Tuesday	March 1	5 p.m.
Show:	Wednesday	March 2	8 a.m.
Reception	Wednesday	March 2	7 p.m.
Begin Release:	Thursday	March 3	upon completion of the youth show
Must Be Out By:	Thursday	March 3	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Boer Goat Show

1. **Entry:** This department is open to all exhibitors.
2. **Age of Animals:** Age of animals shall be computed from March 1, 2011. Birth dates as listed on the registration certificate will be used to determine class entries.
3. **Registration:** Recognized associations include the American Boer Goat Association, the International Boer Goat Association, and the Canadian Boer Goat Association. The original registration certificate is required. Information on transfers is not acceptable.
4. **Breeding:** All animals must be registered purebred, fullblood or percentage blood Boer goats and the registration papers and tattoos or other means of permanent identification approved by the Superintendent or the Assistant Superintendent before the animal enters the show ring.
5. **Tattoos:** All goats must have legible tattoos or other means of permanent identification that matches the ones on its registration certificate. If the animal has a microchip as its permanent identification, the exhibitor is responsible for providing a microchip reader.
6. **Heelers:** Heelers will not be allowed in the show ring.
7. **Fitting:** Fitting will be left up to the discretion of the exhibitor. No artificial coloring will be allowed.
8. **Females:** Any female over 24 months of age, that has not kidded will not be allowed to show.
-  9. **Substitutions:** Substitutions are NOT allowed between Open and Youth boer goat entries.
10. **Check In:** All Open and Youth Boer Goat exhibitors must be checked in 5 p.m. on Tuesday, March 1. Once check in is complete, it is the exhibitors' responsibility to review the check in sheets that will be posted and contact the Show Superintendent on Tuesday, March 1 in the event that an entry/entries are posted in the incorrect class. All changes must be made prior to 8 a.m. on Wednesday, March 2. Class changes will not be allowed after the start of the Open Boer Goat Show.

Boer Goat Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$40	\$25	\$15

Good Herdsman Awards All receive a plaque

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
\$250	\$125	\$75	\$50

Open Boer Goat Show

PERCENTAGE BLOOD BOER DOES

Junior Division

1. Percentage Doe Kids(0-3 months)	12/1/10 – 3/1/11	(Premium A)
2. Percentage Doe Kids(3-6 months)	9/1/10 – 11/30/10	(Premium A)
3. Percentage Doe Kids(6-9 months)	6/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
4. Percentage Doe Kids (9-12 months)	3/1/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
5. GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
6. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)

Senior Division

7. Percentage Yearling Does(12-16 months)	11/1/09 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
8. Percentage Yearling Does(16-20 months)	7/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
9. Percentage Two Year Old Does(20-24 months)	3/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
10. Percentage Three Year Old Does(24-36 months)	3/1/08 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
11. Percentage Aged Does(36 months and older)	3/1/08 or before	(Premium A)
12. GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
13. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
14. OVERALL GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
15. OVERALL RESERVE CHAMPION PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)

PUREBRED FULLBLOOD BOER DOES

Junior Division

16. Fullblood Doe Kids(0-3 months)	12/1/10 – 3/1/11	(Premium A)
17. Fullblood Doe Kids (3-6 months)	9/1/10 – 11/30/10	(Premium A)
18. Fullblood Doe Kids (6-9 months)	6/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
19. Fullblood Doe Kids (9-12 months)	3/1/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
20. GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
21. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)

Senior Division

22. Fullblood Yearling Does(12-16 months)	11/1/09 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
23. Fullblood Yearling Does (16-20 months)	7/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
24. Fullblood Two Year Old Does(20-24 months)	3/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
25. Fullblood Three Year Old Does(24-36 months)	3/1/08 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
26. Fullblood Aged Does(36 months and older)	3/1/08 or before	(Premium A)
27. GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
28. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
29. OVERALL GRAND CHAMPION FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
30. OVERALL RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)

PUREBRED FULLBLOOD BOER BUCKS

Junior Division

31. Fullblood Buck Kids(0-3 months)	12/1/10 – 3/1/11	(Premium A)
32. Fullblood Buck Kids(3-6 months)	9/1/10 – 11/30/10	(Premium A)
33. Fullblood Buck Kids(6-9 months)	6/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
34. Fullblood Buck Kids(9-12 months)	3/1/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
35. GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)
36. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)

Senior Division

37. Fullblood Yearling Bucks(12-16 months)	11/1/09 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
38. Fullblood Yearling Bucks(16-20 months)	7/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
39. Fullblood Two Year Old Bucks(20-24 months)	3/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A)
40. Fullblood Three Year Old Bucks(24-36 months)	3/1/08 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
41. Fullblood Aged Bucks(36 months and older)	3/1/08 or before	(Premium A)
42. GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)
43. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)
44. OVERALL GRAND CHAMPION FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)
45. OVERALL RESERVE CHAMPION FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)

Youth Boer Goat

Department Y2

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Sheep and Goat Committee..... \$1,000
 Total Premium Available..... \$1,000

Superintendent –Glenn Avriett - New Braunfels, Texas



Judge – Dr. Randy Harp – Stephenville, TX



Begin Arrival:	Tuesday	March 1	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Tuesday	March 1	3 p.m.
Checked In By:	Tuesday	March 1	5 p.m.
Reception	Wednesday	March 2	7 p.m.
Showmanship	Thursday	March 3	8 a.m.
Show:	Thursday	March 3	9 a.m.
Begin Release:	Thursday	March 3	upon completion of show
Must Be Out By:	Thursday	March 3	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Youth Boer Goat Show

1. **Entry:** This department is open to all exhibitors.
2. **Age of Animals:** Age of animals shall be computed from March 1, 2011. Birth dates as listed on the registration certificate will be used to determine class entries.
3. **Registration:** Recognized associations include the American Boer Goat Association, the International Boer Goat Association, and the Canadian Boer Goat Association. The original registration certificate is required. Information on transfers is not acceptable.
4. **Breeding:** All animals must be registered purebred, fullblood or percentage blood Boer goats and the registration papers and tattoos or other means of permanent identification approved by the Superintendent or the Assistant Superintendent before the animal enters the show ring.
5. **Tattoos:** All goats must have legible tattoos or other means of permanent identification that matches the ones on its registration certificate. If the animal has a microchip as its permanent identification, the exhibitor is responsible for providing a microchip reader.
6. **Heelers:** Heelers will not be allowed in the show ring.
7. **Fitting:** Fitting will be left up to the discretion of the exhibitor. No artificial coloring will be allowed.
8. **Females:** Any female over 24 months of age, that has not kidded will not be allowed to show.
-  9. **Substitutions:** Substitutions are NOT allowed between Open and Youth boer goat entries.
10. **Check In:** All Open and Youth Boer Goat exhibitors must be checked in 5 p.m. on Tuesday, March 1. Once check in is complete, it is the exhibitors' responsibility to review the check in sheets that will be posted and contact the Show Superintendent on Tuesday, March 1 in the event that an entry/entries are posted in the incorrect class. All changes must be made prior to 8 a.m. on Wednesday, March 2. Class changes will not be allowed after the start of the Open Boer Goat Show.
-  11. **Showmanship:** Any Youth ABGA exhibitor under age 18 as of January 1, 2010 is eligible to enter showmanship. Entries must be received by January 5, 2011. Entries will NOT be accepted upon arrival to show.

Youth Boer Goat Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd
A:	\$18	\$12	\$8

Youth Boer Goat Show

PERCENTAGE BLOOD BOER DOES

Junior Division

1. Percentage Doe Kids(0-3 months)	12/1/10 – 3/1/11	(Premium A)
2. Percentage Doe Kids(3-6 months)	9/1/10 – 11/30/10	(Premium A)
3. Percentage Doe Kids(6-9 months)	6/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
4. Percentage Doe Kids (9-12 months)	3/1/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
5. GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
6. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)

Senior Division

7. Percentage Yearling Does(12-16 months)	11/1/09 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
8. Percentage Yearling Does(16-20 months)	7/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
9. Percentage Two Year Old Does(20-24 months)	3/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
10. Percentage Three Year Old Does(24-36 months)	3/1/08-2/28/09	(Premium A)
11. Percentage Aged Does(36 months and older)	3/1/08 or before	(Premium A)
12. GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
13. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
14. OVERALL GRAND CHAMPION PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
15. OVERALL RESERVE CHAMPION PERCENTAGE DOE		(Trophy & Banner)

PUREBRED FULLBLOOD BOER DOES

Junior Division

16. Fullblood Doe Kids(0-3 months)	12/1/10 – 3/1/11	(Premium A)
17. Fullblood Doe Kids (3-6 months)	9/1/10 – 11/30/10	(Premium A)
18. Fullblood Doe Kids (6-9 months)	6/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
19. Fullblood Doe Kids (9-12 months)	3/1/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
20. GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
21. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)

Senior Division

22. Fullblood Yearling Does(12-16 months)	11/1/09 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
23. Fullblood Yearling Does (16-20 months)	7/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
24. Fullblood Two Year Old Does(20-24 months)	3/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
25. Fullblood Three Year Old Does(24-36 months)	3/1/08–2/28/09	(Premium A)
26. Fullblood Aged Does(36 months and older)	3/1/08 or before	(Premium A)
27. GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
28. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
29. OVERALL GRAND CHAMPION FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)
30. OVERALL RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FULLBLOOD DOE		(Trophy & Banner)

PUREBRED FULLBLOOD BOER BUCKS

Junior Division

31. Fullblood Buck Kids(0-3 months)	12/1/10 – 3/1/11	(Premium A)
32. Fullblood Buck Kids(3-6 months)	9/1/10 – 11/30/10	(Premium A)
33. Fullblood Buck Kids(6-9 months)	6/1/10 – 8/31/10	(Premium A)
34. Fullblood Buck Kids(9-12 months)	3/1/10 – 5/31/10	(Premium A)
35. GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)
36. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)

Senior Division

37. Fullblood Yearling Bucks(12-16 months)	11/1/09 – 2/28/10	(Premium A)
38. Fullblood Yearling Bucks(16-20 months)	7/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
39. Fullblood Two Year Old Bucks(20-24 months)	3/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A)
40. Fullblood Three Year Old Bucks(24-36 months)	3/1/08 – 2/28/09	(Premium A)
41. Fullblood Aged Bucks(36 months and older)	3/1/08 or before	(Premium A)
42. GRAND CHAMPION SENIOR FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)
43. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)
44. OVERALL GRAND CHAMPION FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)
45. OVERALL RESERVE CHAMPION FULLBLOOD BUCK		(Trophy & Banner)

SHOWMANSHIP

46. Junior Division	(age 9-13 as of Jan 1, 2010)	(Rosette for Top 10)
47. JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPION		(Plaque)
48. RESERVE JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPION		(Plaque)
49. Senior Division	(age 14 -17 as of Jan 1, 2010)	(Rosette for Top 10)
50. SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPION		(Plaque)
51. RESERVE SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPION		(Plaque)

Llama and Alpaca

Department I

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Llama and Alpaca Committee \$ 25,000

Superintendent - Danette McCleary - Katy, Texas

Judge – Deb Yeagle
Llama Walking Fleece
Alpaca Halter
Alpaca Group Classes
Llama and/or Alpaca Shorn Fleece
Costume Contest
Llama and Alpaca Open Performance

Judge – Linda Hayes
Alpaca Showmanship
Llama Showmanship
Llama Halter
Llama and/or Alpaca Shorn Fleece
Costume Contest
Llama and Alpaca Open Performance

Reliant Arena – Pavilion Arena

Begin Arrival	Thursday	March 10	10 a.m.
In Place (Arrival to Airport Blvd.)	Thursday	March 10	4 p.m.
Check-In	Thursday	March 10	5 p.m.
Exhibitor Meeting	Thursday	March 10	6 p.m.
Llama Walking Fleece	Friday	March 11	8 a.m.
Alpaca Showmanship	Friday	March 11	8 a.m.
Alpaca Halter	Friday	March 11	10 a.m.
Llama Showmanship	Friday	March 11	10 a.m.
Llama Halter	Friday	March 11	10 a.m.
Llama & Alpaca Group Classes	Friday	March 11	(following Alpaca Halter)
Llama & Alpaca Open Performance	Friday	March 11	(following Group)
Llama & Alpaca Youth Showmanship	Saturday	March 12	8 a.m.
Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance	Saturday	March 12	9 a.m.
Llama Shorn Fleece	Saturday	March 12	10 a.m.
Alpaca Shorn Fleece	Saturday	March 12	10 a.m.
Lloan –A- Llama	Saturday	March 12	10 a.m.
Costume Contest	Saturday	March 12	1 p.m.
Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance	Saturday	March 12	2 p.m.
Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance	Sunday	March 13	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 13	(upon completion of show)
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 13	8 p.m.



This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

General Rules for Llama and Alpaca Show

1. **Entry Requirements Llamas and Alpacas:** Entries must be made on individual entry forms in the name of the animal and owner as matched to the ILR Registration document or ARI Registration document. An animal showing in more than one class may be entered on the same form. Handler names must be entered on the form. **Youth division entries must be in the name of the Youth.** A copy of the animal's ILR registration or ARI Registration document must be attached to each entry form. Non-Breeder animal's registration must be accompanied by a registration or veterinarian certificate verifying stated condition. **If submitting entries on-line, copies of the online summary and the ILR or ARI registration and permission to show forms must be mailed directly to the Show Superintendent at 1795 N Fry Rd Box #230 Katy, TX 77449. If submitting via paper entry, you must mail forms and payment to the HLSR Office and then copies of forms and the ILR or ARI registration and permission to show forms to the Show Superintendent at 1795 N Fry Rd Box #230 Katy, TX 77449.**
2. **Registry:**
 - a. Llamas 5 months and older, entered in approved ALSA classes, with the exception of Youth Classes, must be registered or have passed screening with the International Llama Registry (ILR) or the Canadian Livestock Record Corporation (CLRC). Non-Breeder llamas do not have to be registered or have passed screening with the ILR or the CLRC except those recorded with ALSA and participating in the Award System. Photocopy of ILR/CLRC must accompany entry.
 - b. Alpacas 5 months and older, entered in and present at the show must be registered by the Alpaca Registry, Inc. (ARI) or the Canadian Livestock Record Corporation (CLRC). Non-Breeder alpacas do not have to be registered or have

passed screening with the ARI or the CLCR except those recorded with ALSA and participating in the Award System. A photocopy of the ARI registration certificate must accompany entry.

3. **Entry Limitations:** Entries will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. After the maximum number of entries has been received, all remaining entries will be returned.
4. **Pens:** Pens will be assigned by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Llama Committee via lottery draw. There is no limit to the number of stalls/pens purchased; however, *only two llamas or three alpacas* may occupy a stall/pen. Only one stall/pen per farm may be used for tack/display. **Exhibitors wishing to be stalled next to another exhibitor must request so in an e-mail to the Show Superintendent at hdmccleary@sbcglobal.net prior to February 15th.** There will be no changing of stall assignments at the show. Stalls are 10' x 10'. Request must be made by both parties with Farm/Ranch and owner/individual name on mailed in forms and/or e-mail or they will not be honored.
5. **Bedding:** Animals may be bedded on sand or other bedding. Carpet is not available. Requests to have sand removed from a stall prior to arrival must be in writing and indicate the number of stalls with or without sand. Requests must be sent with entry and e-mailed to the Show Superintendent at hdmccleary@sbcglobal.net. **Request after February 15th can not be honored.**
6. **Food/Water:** Exhibitor must provide food and water troughs. Water outlets are available.
7. **Health Certificate:** See Texas Animal Health Commission Rules. **HLSR requires that all alpacas and llamas attending the show must have a Veterinary Health Certificate issued within 30 days of the last day of the show.** HLSR requires that all alpacas attending the alpaca show must provide evidence of a negative test for BVDV by either a PCR or VI test, this is a once in a lifetime test. The negative test results shall be indicated on the Health Certificate. Please bring a copy of your Health Papers to give to the Show Superintendent.
8. **Halter Classes:** These classes are designed to showcase the breeding qualities of male and female llamas and alpacas. Llama Halter Classes will be divided into 3 wool-lengths, Light, Medium and Heavy. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to enter the correct class; however, the judge will have final decision. No llama class changes will be made after judging starts. Alpaca color will be verified at check-in, prior to entering arena. Judge's decision is final.
9. **Open Performance Classes:** Animals entered in Youth Division Classes may not enter Open Performance Division Class.
10. **Animal Age:** Determined by date of Halter Classes, March 11, 2011. See Halter Class Section.
11. **Substitutions:** Any Substitutions made after February 15th will be charged an additional \$50/entry.
12. **Exhibitor Emergency Phone Numbers:** A night time emergency phone number must be posted on the front of each pen for the duration of the show.
13. **Intact Males ALSA:** Youth 8 to 18 years old may show intact males, however, Youth 8 to 12 years old may not show intact males over 24 months of age. Youth under 8 years old may not show intact males.

14. Entry Fees:

Halter Fee/per entry	\$25
Fleece Fee/per entry	\$25
Group Class Entry, per class.....	\$10
ALSA Fee, per animal entered	\$ 5
Non-ALSA Youth Members (showing in youth classes)	\$15
Non-ALSA farm fee/per farm	\$30
Performance Fee/per entry.....	\$15
Youth Performance Fee/per entry	\$10
Pen Fees, per pen.....	\$65
Late Entry(After Feb. 5).....	Additional \$25 per animal
Substitution Entries/Changes.....	Additional \$10 per entry
(After Feb. 15).....	Additional \$50 per entry
NO LATE Entries will be accepted after February 15th	



Llama and Alpaca Show Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Premium A	\$55	\$35	\$20		
Premium B	\$500				
Premium C	\$250	\$175	\$100	\$50	\$25
Premium D	\$200	\$100			

Good Herdsman Awards

All receive a plaque

1st – 4th places

Special Rules for Llama Show

Alpaca and Llama Show Association, Inc. (ALSA) Rules: This show is sanctioned by ALSA and is approved as a Level II Llama Show. All entries, points and awards are subject to the rules and regulations published in the ALSA Handbook 15th Edition. There is a \$5 per ALSA fee for each animal entered. Non-ALSA members must pay \$30 fee per farm for showing their animals. Youth showing in youth classes must be an ALSA member or pay a \$15 non-member fee. Photo copy of ALSA membership card or current ALSA Membership Directory must be sent to avoid paying \$30 non-member fee. All entries must include ALSA member number, youth number and/or llama number to assure recording of points with ALSA. Animals and youth must be recorded with ALSA within 15 days after the show to accumulate ALSA points. Information about ALSA may be found at www.alsashow.org or by calling ALSA at (412) 761-0211.

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Fleece Show

Llama Walking Fleece Classes

1. Double Coat	Under 2 years old	(Premium A)
2. Double Coat	Over 2 years old	(Premium A)
3. Champion Double Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
4. Reserve Champion Double Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
5. Single Coat	Under 2 years old	(Premium A)
6. Single Coat	Over 2 years old	(Premium A)
7. Champion Single Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
8. Reserve Champion Single Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
9. Suri Coat	Under 2 years old	(Premium A)
10. Suri Coat	Over 2 years old	(Premium A)
11. Champion Suri Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
12. Reserve Champion Suri Coat		(Banner and Trophy)

Llama Shorn Fleece Classes

Fiber Length:

Minimum fleece length to be 3 inches with no maximum for Juvenile and Yearling Llamas at the time of shearing.

Minimum fleece length to be 3 inches for Two Year Old, Adult and Mature 24 months and older with maximum of 8 inches including guard hair.

13. Double Coat	Under 2 years old	(Premium A)
14. Double Coat	Over 2 years old	(Premium A)
15. Champion Double Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
16. Reserve Champion Double Coat		(Banner and Trophy)

17. Single Coat	Under 2 years old	(Premium A)
18. Single Coat	Over 2 years old	(Premium A)
19. Champion Single Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
20. Reserve Champion Single Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
21. Suri Coat	Under 2 years old	(Premium A)
22. Suri Coat	Over 2 years old	(Premium A)
23. Champion Suri Coat		(Banner and Trophy)
24. Reserve Champion Suri Coat		(Banner and Trophy)

Alpaca Fleece Classes

Class Ages at time of shearing not at date of show.

Juvenile	5 to 12 months
Yearling	12 to 24 months
Two Year Old	24 months and older

Fiber Length:

Minimum fleece length to be 3 inches with no maximum for alpacas under 12 months of age at the time of shearing.

Huacaya: Maximum of 7 inches for 12 months and older at the time of shearing.

Suri: Maximum of 14 inches for 12 months and older at the time of shearing.

Color Group Designations: Dark includes black to light brown, Fawn includes Dark Fawn to Medium, Light includes light fawn to beige, White includes white, and Mixed includes Grey, Fancy, Appalosa and Pinto. Color champions may be combined into two color groups: Solid or Mixed. Depending on number of entries.

Alpaca Shorn Fleece Classes

Alpaca Suri Shorn Fleece

Dark exist of Black and Brown

25. Suri Dark Fleece	Juvenile	(Premium A)
26. Suri Dark Fleece	Yearling	(Premium A)
27. Suri Dark Fleece	2 Years and Older	(Premium A)

Light exist of White, Beige, and Fawn

28. Suri Light Fleece	Juvenile	(Premium A)
29. Suri Light Fleece	Yearling	(Premium A)
30. Suri Light Fleece	2 Years and Older	(Premium A)
31. Suri Solid Fleece Champion		(Banner & Trophy)
32. Suri Solid Fleece Reserve Champion		(Banner & Trophy)
33. Suri Mixed Fleece	Juvenile	(Premium A)
34. Suri Mixed Fleece	Yearling	(Premium A)
35. Suri Mixed Fleece	2 Years and Older	(Premium A)
36. Suri Mixed Fleece Champion		(Banner & Trophy)
37. Suri Mixed Fleece Reserve Champion		(Banner & Trophy)

Alpaca Huacaya Shorn Fleece

Dark exist of Black and Brown

38. Huacaya Dark Fleece	Juvenile	(Premium A)
39. Huacaya Dark Fleece	Yearling	(Premium A)
40. Huacaya Dark Fleece	2 Years and Older	(Premium A)
41. Huacaya Dark Fleece Champion		(Banner & Trophy)
42. Huacaya Dark Fleece Reserve Champion		(Banner & Trophy)

Fawn exist of Dark and Medium Fawn

43. Huacaya Fawn Fleece	Juvenile	(Premium A)
44. Huacaya Fawn Fleece	Yearling	(Premium A)
45. Huacaya Fawn Fleece	2 Years and Older	(Premium A)

46. Huacaya Fawn Fleece Champion		(Banner & Trophy)
47. Huacaya Fawn Fleece Reserve Champion		(Banner & Trophy)

Light exist of Light Fawn and Beige

48. Huacaya Light Fleece	Juvenile	(Premium A)
49. Huacaya Light Fleece	Yearling	(Premium A)
50. Huacaya Light Fleece	2 Years and Older	(Premium A)

51. Huacaya Light Fleece Champion		(Banner & Trophy)
52. Huacaya Light Fleece Reserve Champion		(Banner & Trophy)

53. Huacaya White Fleece	Juvenile	(Premium A)
54. Huacaya White Fleece	Yearling	(Premium A)
55. Huacaya White Fleece	2 Years and Older	(Premium A)

56. Huacaya White Fleece Champion		(Banner & Trophy)
57. Huacaya White Fleece Reserve Champion		(Banner & Trophy)

58. Huacaya Mixed Fleece	Juvenile	(Premium A)
59. Huacaya Mixed Fleece	Yearling	(Premium A)
60. Huacaya Mixed Fleece	2 Years and Older	(Premium A)

61. Huacaya Mixed Fleece Champion		(Banner & Trophy)
62. Huacaya Mixed Fleece Reserve Champion		(Banner & Trophy)

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Open Halter Classes

Showmanship: This class is for the exhibitor to exhibit showing skills and training of the animal.

1. ALSA Open Showmanship – Llama	(Premium A)
2. CHAMPION LLAMA SHOWMANSHIP (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
3. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA SHOWMANSHIP (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
4. ALSA Open Showmanship – Alpaca	(Premium A)
5. CHAMPION ALPACA SHOWMANSHIP (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
6. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA SHOWMANSHIP (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)

Alpaca Halter Classes: Breeding quality male and female alpacas. The judging criteria are based on soundness and conformation. Class ages are based on age first day of show March 11, 2011:

Juvenile	5 to 12 months	Born 3/11/10 through 10/11/10
Yearling	12 to 24 months	Born 3/11/09 through 3/10/10
Two Year Old or Older	24 months and older	Born on or before 3/10/09

Alpaca Suri Halter

Dark Classes Exist of Black and Brown

7. Suri Dark Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
8. Suri Dark Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
9. Suri Dark Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
10. Suri Dark Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
11. Suri Dark Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
12. Suri Dark Color Group	2 Years and older Males	(Premium A)

Light Classes Exist of White, Beige and Fawn

13. Suri Light Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
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14. Suri Light Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
15. Suri Light Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
16. Suri Light Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
17. Suri Light Color Group	Yearling Males	(Premium A)
18. Suri Light Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
19. Champion Solid Female		(Banner & Trophy)
20. Reserve Champion Solid Female		(Banner & Trophy)
21. Champion Solid Male		(Banner & Trophy)
22. Reserve Champion Solid Male		(Banner & Trophy)

Mixed Classes Exist of All Grey and Mult

23. Suri Mixed Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
24. Suri Mixed Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
25. Suri Mixed Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
26. Suri Mixed Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
27. Suri Mixed Color Group	Yearling Males	(Premium A)
28. Suri Mixed Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
29. Champion Mixed Female		(Banner & Trophy)
30. Reserve Champion Mixed Female		(Banner & Trophy)
31. Champion Mixed Male		(Banner & Trophy)
32. Reserve Champion Mixed Male		(Banner & Trophy)

Non-Breeding Halter: For geldings, vasectomized males, and spayed or non-reproductive females, these alpacas are suitable for purposes other than breeding. Vet certificate verifying the stated condition must accompany show registration.

33. Suri Non-Breeding Females	Yearling and Older	(Premium A)
34. Suri Gelded Males	Yearling and Older	(Premium A)

Alpaca Huacaya Halter

- ***Color groups may be combined for Champion and Reserve classes.***

35. Huacaya Black Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
36. Huacaya Black Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
37. Huacaya Black Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
38. Huacaya Black Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
39. Huacaya Black Color Group	Yearling Males	(Premium A)
40. Huacaya Black Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
41. Champion Huacaya Black Female		(Banner & Trophy)
42. Reserve Champion Huacaya Black Female		(Banner & Trophy)
43. Champion Huacaya Black Male		(Banner & Trophy)
44. Reserve Champion Huacaya Black Male		(Banner & Trophy)
45. Huacaya Brown Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
46. Huacaya Brown Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
47. Huacaya Brown Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
48. Huacaya Brown Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
49. Huacaya Brown Color Group	Yearling Males	(Premium A)
50. Huacaya Brown Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
51. Champion Huacaya Brown Female		(Banner & Trophy)
52. Reserve Champion Huacaya Brown Female		(Banner & Trophy)
53. Champion Huacaya Brown Male		(Banner & Trophy)
54. Reserve Champion Huacaya Brown Male		(Banner & Trophy)

Fawn Classes exist of Dark and Medium Fawn

55. Huacaya Fawn Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
56. Huacaya Fawn Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
57. Huacaya Fawn Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
58. Huacaya Fawn Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
59. Huacaya Fawn Color Group	Yearling Males	(Premium A)
60. Huacaya Fawn Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
61. Champion Huacaya Fawn Female		(Banner & Trophy)
62. Reserve Champion Huacaya Fawn Female		(Banner & Trophy)
63. Champion Huacaya Fawn Male		(Banner & Trophy)
64. Reserve Champion Huacaya Fawn Male		(Banner & Trophy)

Light classes exist of Light Fawn and Beige

65. Huacaya Light Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
66. Huacaya Light Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
67. Huacaya Light Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
68. Huacaya Light Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
69. Huacaya Light Color Group	Yearling Males	(Premium A)
70. Huacaya Light Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
71. Champion Huacaya Light Female		(Banner & Trophy)
72. Reserve Champion Huacaya Light Female		(Banner & Trophy)
73. Champion Huacaya Light Male		(Banner & Trophy)
74. Reserve Champion Huacaya Light Male		(Banner & Trophy)
75. Huacaya White Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
76. Huacaya White Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
77. Huacaya White Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
78. Huacaya White Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
79. Huacaya White Color Group	Yearling Males	(Premium A)
80. Huacaya White Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
81. Champion Huacaya White Female		(Banner & Trophy)
82. Reserve Champion Huacaya White Female		(Banner & Trophy)
83. Champion Huacaya White Male		(Banner & Trophy)
84. Reserve Champion Huacaya White Male		(Banner & Trophy)

Mixed Classes Exist of Grey and All Multi

85. Huacaya Mixed Color Group	Juvenile Females	(Premium A)
86. Huacaya Mixed Color Group	Yearling Females	(Premium A)
87. Huacaya Mixed Color Group	2 Years and Older Females	(Premium A)
88. Huacaya Mixed Color Group	Juvenile Males	(Premium A)
89. Huacaya Mixed Color Group	Yearling Males	(Premium A)
90. Huacaya Mixed Color Group	2 Years and Older Males	(Premium A)
91. Champion Huacaya Mixed Female		(Banner & Trophy)
92. Reserve Champion Huacaya Mixed Female		(Banner & Trophy)
93. Champion Huacaya Mixed Male		(Banner & Trophy)
94. Reserve Champion Huacaya Mixed Male		(Banner & Trophy)

Non-Breeding Halter: For geldings, vasectomized males, and spayed or non-reproductive females, these alpacas are suitable for purposes other than breeding. Vet certificate verifying the stated condition must

accompany show registration.

95. Huacaya Non-Breeding Females	Yearling and Older	(Premium A)
96. Huacaya Gelded Males	Yearling and Older	(Premium A)
97. Champion Non-Breeding Alpaca		(Banner & Trophy)
98. Reserve Champion Non-Breeding Alpaca		(Banner & Trophy)

Suri Group Halter Classes: (All animals must be in full fleece and have shown in the perspective class)

99. Suri – Get Of Sire: Three offspring, either sex, same sire and three different dams. The sire will not be shown in this class, but entry made in name of sire.	(Premium A)
100. Champion Suri – Get Of Sire	(Banner & Trophy)
101. Reserve Champion Suri – Get Of Sire	(Banner & Trophy)
102. Suri – Produce Of Dam: Two offspring, either sex, same dam. The dam will not be shown in this class, but entry made in name of dam.	(Premium A)
103. Champion Suri – Produce Of Dam	(Banner & Trophy)
104. Reserve Champion Suri – Produce Of Dam	(Banner & Trophy)
105. Suri – Breeder's Best: Three animals of any age and sex, bred and still owned by the exhibitor.	(Banner & Trophy)

Huacaya Group Halter Classes: (All animals must be in full fleece and have shown in the perspective class)

106. Huacaya – Get Of Sire: Three offspring, either sex, same sire and three different dams. The sire will not be shown in this class, but entry made in name of sire.	(Premium A)
107. Champion Huacaya – Get Of Sire	(Banner & Trophy)
108. Reserve Champion Huacaya – Get Of Sire	(Banner & Trophy)
109. Huacaya – Produce Of Dam: Two offspring, either sex, same dam. The dam will not be shown in this class, but entry made in name of sire.	(Premium A)
110. Champion Huacaya Produce Of Dam	(Banner & Trophy)
111. Reserve Champion Huacaya – Produce Of Dam	(Banner & Trophy)
112. Huacaya – Breeder's Best: Three animals of any age and sex, bred and still owned by the exhibitor.	(Banner & Trophy)

Llama Halter Classes: Breeding quality male and female llamas. The judging criteria are based on soundness and conformation.
Class ages are:

Juvenile	5 to 12 months	Born 3/11/10 through 10/11/10
Yearling	12 to 24 months	Born 3/11/09 through 3/10/10
Two Year Old	24 to 36 months	Born 3/11/08 through 3/10/09
Adult	36 months and older	Born on or before 3/10/08

Suri Wool Halter: Suri breed

113. Suri Wool Female	Juvenile	(Premium A)
114. Suri Wool Female	Yearling	(Premium A)
115. Suri Wool Female	Two Year Old	(Premium A)
116. Suri Wool Female	Adult	(Premium A)
117. Suri Wool Male	Juvenile	(Premium A)
118. Suri Wool Male	Yearling	(Premium A)
119. Suri Wool Male	Two Year Old	(Premium A)
120. Suri Wool Male	Adult	(Premium A)
121. Champion Suri Wool Halter Female		(Banner & Trophy)
122. Reserve Champion Suri Wool Halter Female		(Banner & Trophy)
123. Champion Suri Wool Halter Male		(Banner & Trophy)
124. Reserve Champion Suri Wool Halter Male		(Banner & Trophy)

With respect to the Suri Wool division, at show management's discretion, if there are fewer than three in any age division, age divisions may be combined; that is, if there are fewer than three juvenile, they may be combined with the yearling females and so on. Under no circumstances will males and females be combined. After age combination, if there are too few to make qualifying classes, the suri llamas may be shown with the appropriate traditional wool division.

Light Wool Halter: Minimal neck and body wool, and smooth leg wool.

125. Light Wool Female	Juvenile	(Premium A)
126. Light Wool Female	Yearling	(Premium A)
127. Light Wool Female	Two Year Old	(Premium A)
128. Light Wool Female	Adult	(Premium A)
129. Light Wool Male	Juvenile	(Premium A)
130. Light Wool Male	Yearling	(Premium A)
131. Light Wool Male	Two Year Old	(Premium A)
132. Light Wool Male	Adult	(Premium A)
133. Champion Light Wool Halter Female		(Banner & Trophy)
134. Reserve Champion Light Wool Halter Female		(Banner & Trophy)
135. Champion Light Wool Halter Male		(Banner & Trophy)
136. Reserve Champion Light Wool Halter Male		(Banner & Trophy)

Medium Wool Halter: Moderate neck and body wool, and moderate leg wool.

137. Medium Wool Female	Juvenile	(Premium A)
138. Medium Wool Female	Yearling	(Premium A)
139. Medium Wool Female	Two Year Old	(Premium A)
140. Medium Wool Female	Adult	(Premium A)
141. Medium Wool Male	Juvenile	(Premium A)
142. Medium Wool Male	Yearling	(Premium A)
143. Medium Wool Male	Two Year Old	(Premium A)
144. Medium Wool Male	Adult	(Premium A)
145. Champion Medium Wool Halter Female		(Banner & Trophy)
146. Reserve Champion Medium Wool Halter Female		(Banner & Trophy)
147. Champion Medium Wool Halter Male		(Banner & Trophy)
148. Reserve Champion Medium Wool Halter Male		(Banner & Trophy)

Heavy Wool Halter: Abundant body and neck wool with minimal to abundant leg wool. Shorn llamas MUST be shown in the wool division in which they would have been shown prior to shearing.

149. Heavy Wool Female	Juvenile	(Premium A)
150. Heavy Wool Female	Yearling	(Premium A)
151. Heavy Wool Female	Two Year Old	(Premium A)
152. Heavy Wool Female	Adult	(Premium A)
153. Heavy Wool Male	Juvenile	(Premium A)
154. Heavy Wool Male	Yearling	(Premium A)
155. Heavy Wool Male	Two Year Old	(Premium A)
156. Heavy Wool Male	Adult	(Premium A)
157. Champion Heavy Wool Halter Female		(Banner & Trophy)
158. Reserve Champion Heavy Wool Halter Female		(Banner & Trophy)
159. Champion Heavy Wool Halter Male		(Banner & Trophy)
160. Reserve Champion Heavy Wool Halter Male		(Banner & Trophy)

- If limited animal entries do not merit split divisions, they will be combined according to current ALSA guidelines.

Non-Breeding Halter: For geldings, vasectomized males, and spayed or non-reproductive females, these llamas are suitable for purposes other than breeding. Vet certificate verifying the stated condition must accompany show registration. Non-Breeder halter has no sex or wool division.

161. Yearling	(Premium A)
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162. Two Year Old	(Premium A)
163. Adult	(Premium A)
164. Champion Non-Breeding Llama	(Banner & Trophy)
165. Reserve Champion Non-Breeding Llama	(Banner & Trophy)

Group Classes: Entries should be made in the name of the sire or dam. The llamas shown in the Get or Produce entry teams **must be shown in this show in their appropriate halter class age division**. There may be more than one entry per Sire or Dam; however, only the top placing team will earn ALSA points.

166. Get Of Sire: Each entry must include only 3 offspring by the same sire, may be any offspring from sire, and **must be from at least 2 different dams**. The sire will not be shown in this class. (Premium A)

167. Champion Get Of Sire (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
168. Reserve Champion Get Of Sire (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)

169. Produce Of Dam: Each entry must include only 2 offspring by the same dam. The Dam will not be shown in this class. (Premium A)

170. Champion Produce Of Dam (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
171. Reserve Champion Produce of Dam (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)

Open Performance Classes

****Llamas and Alpacas will show in classes under ALSA Performance Rules**

Open Llama/Alpaca Performance Classes: These classes are open to all exhibitors 8 years and older. However, a Youth entering open classes may not show the same animal(s) the Youth showed in the Youth Division Classes of this Show. Performance classes are designed to present or simulate conditions and obstacles that would be encountered in certain situations when llamas/alpacas are required to perform. These classes demonstrate the intelligence and versatility of the llama and alpaca.

HLSR also offers the **ALSA Performance Champion Award for Llama Division:** Tabulations are made using the ALSA Point Chart. **Animals must show in the appropriate Obstacle Class, the Public Relations Class and the Pack Class.** A minimum of 8 animals must exhibit in the Open Obstacle Class for the award to be given. Champion accumulates the most points.

For the ALPACA DIVISION, HLSR offers the **ALSA Versatility Grand Champion.** This award goes to the alpaca who shows overall excellence by placing well in numerous show events. **To be eligible; animals must show in the appropriate Halter Class, the Fleece Show, and both Obstacle and Public Relations.**

Obstacle Class: The purpose of Obstacle Class is to demonstrate the well-trained animal's obedience and willingness to complete the activities requested by the handler.

172. ALSA Obstacle Advanced – Llama	(Premium A)
173. CHAMPION LLAMA OBSTACLE ADVANCED (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
174. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA OBSTACLE ADVANCED (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
175. ALSA Obstacle Novice – Llama	(Premium A)
176. CHAMPION LLAMA OBSTACLE NOVICE (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
177. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA OBSTACLE NOVICE (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
178. ALSA Open Obstacle – Alpaca	(Premium A)
179. CHAMPION ALPACA OPEN OBASTACLE (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
180. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA OPEN OBSTACLE (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)

Public Relations Class: This class is for the animal that participates in community activities.

181. ALSA Open Public Relations Advanced – Llama	(Premium A)
182. CHAMPION LLAMA PUBLIC RELATIONS ADVANCED (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
183. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA PUBLIC RELATIONS ADV (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
184. ALSA Public Relations Novice – Llama	(Premium A)
185. CHAMPION LLAMA PUBLIC RELATIONS NOVICE (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
186. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA PUBLIC RELATIONS NOVICE (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)
187. ALSA Open Public Relations – Alpaca	(Premium A)
188. CHAMPION ALPACA PUBLIC RELATIONS (HLSR Award)	(Banner & Trophy)

189. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA PUBLIC RELATIONS (HLSR Award) (Banner & Trophy)

ALSA Pack Class: This class is designed to present or simulate the conditions and obstacles actually encountered when packing llamas on the trail. Animals must be at least 18 months to compete and be fitted with a two-cinch system. Animals 18 to 36 months carry no weight but must use fill material to simulate a full pack. Animals 37 months and over must carry 40 lbs of weight.

190. ALSA Advanced Pack - Llama (Premium A)
191. CHAMPION LLAMA ADVANCED PACK (HLSR Award) (Banner & Trophy)
192. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA ADVANCED PACK (HLSR Award) (Banner & Trophy)

193. ALSA Novice Pack - Llama (Premium A)
194. CHAMPION LLAMA NOVICE PACK (HLSR Award) (Banner & Trophy)
195. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA NOVICE PACK (HLSR Award) (Banner & Trophy)

ALSA Llama and Alpaca Open Costume – Exhibits the basic skills in fitting, grooming, following directions and style of presenting the animal to the judge for evaluation. The animal's conformation is not considered.

196. Llama Open Costume (Premium C)
197. CHAMPION LLAMA OPEN COSTUME (Banner & Trophy)
198. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA OPEN COSTUME (Banner & Trophy)

199. Alpaca Open Costume (Premium C)
200. CHAMPION ALPACA OPEN COSTUME (Banner & Trophy)
201. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA OPEN COSTUME (Banner & Trophy)

ALSA Llama Performance Champion Award (see rules above)

202. OPEN PERFORMANCE ADVANCED CHAMPION AWARD (Premium D)
203. OPEN PERFORMANCE ADVANCED RESERVE CHAMPION AWARD (Premium D)

204. OPEN PERFORMANCE NOVICE CHAMPION AWARD (Premium D)
205. OPEN PERFORMANCE NOVICE RESERVE CHAMPION AWARD (Premium D)

ALSA Open Versatility Champion (see rules above)

206. OPEN VERSATILITY CHAMPION (Premium D)
207. OPEN VERSATILITY RESERVE CHAMPION (Premium D)

Youth Llama and Alpaca

Department II

Superintendent – Danette McCleary – Katy, TX

Judge – Deb Yeagle
Alpaca Youth Showmanship
Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance
Costume Contest

Judge – Linda Hayes
Llama Youth Showmanship
Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance
Costume Contest

Reliant Arena – Pavilion Arena

Begin Arrival	Thursday	March 10	10 a.m.
In Place	Thursday	March 10	4 p.m.
Check-In	Thursday	March 10	5 p.m.
Exhibitor Meeting	Thursday	March 10	6 p.m.
Llama Walking Fleece	Friday	March 11	8 a.m.
Alpaca Showmanship	Friday	March 11	8 a.m.
Alpaca Halter	Friday	March 11	9 a.m.
Llama Showmanship	Friday	March 11	9 a.m.
Llama Halter	Friday	March 11	10 a.m.
Llama & Alpaca Group Classes	Friday	March 11	(following Alpaca Halter)
Llama and Alpaca Open Performance	Friday	March 11	(following Group)
Llama & Alpaca Youth Showmanship	Saturday	March 12	8 a.m.
Llama and Alpaca Youth/ Performance	Saturday	March 12	9 a.m.
Llama Shorn Fleece	Saturday	March 12	10 a.m.
Alpaca Shorn Fleece	Saturday	March 12	10 a.m.
Llama –A- Llama	Saturday	March 12	10 a.m.
Costume Contest	Saturday	March 12	1 p.m.
Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance	Saturday	March 12	2 p.m.
Llama and Alpaca Youth Performance	Sunday	March 13	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 13	(upon completion of show)
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 13	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

**Special Rules of ALSA Llama and Alpaca Show – See the Llama and Alpaca Show, Department I, Special Rules.

**Special Rules of the AOBA Alpaca Show Division will be used in Alpaca Performance Classes.

ALSA Youth Division Performance Classes: Youth 8 through 18 years of age as of Jan. 1, 2010, may show in ALSA Youth classes. A Youth who becomes 8 years old during the year is eligible to show as of his/her birthday. Youth 8 through 11 years of age show in the Junior Division, Youth ages 12 through 14 show in the Intermediate Division & Youth 15 through 18 show in the Senior Division. **HLSR offers sub-junior in obstacle, public relations and showmanship for youth not obtaining their 8th birthday before date of show.** In Youth Pack Classes, pack must have 2 cinches. Juniors will not remove pack. Youth may exhibit only one entry per class.

HLSR Youth Show Champion: A \$500 Saving Bond will be awarded to the two exhibitors with the highest paid premiums, one Alpaca Exhibitor and one Llama Exhibitor. To qualify, the exhibitor must have competed in Halter and/or Fleece in the Open Show and then as many youth classes as desired in order to accumulate more premium.

The following Premium Schedule applies:

Llama and Alpaca Youth Show Premium Schedule					
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Premium A	\$55	\$35	\$20		
Premium B	\$500				
Premium C	\$250	\$175	\$100	\$50	\$25
Premium D	\$200	\$100			

Youth Showmanship: Judged on the ability to show his/her animal to its best advantage at halter and the exhibitor's basic skills in fitting, grooming, following directions and style of presenting the animal to judge for evaluation. The animal's conformation is not considered.

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| 1. ALSA Llama Senior Showmanship | (Premium A) |
| 2. CHAMPION LLAMA SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 3. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 4. ALSA Alpaca Senior Showmanship | (Premium A) |
| 5. CHAMPION ALPACA SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 6. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 7. ALSA Llama Intermediate Showmanship | (Premium A) |
| 8. CHAMPION LLAMA INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 9. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 10. ALSA Alpaca Intermediate Showmanship | (Premium A) |
| 11. CHAMPION ALPACA INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 12. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 13. ALSA Llama Junior Showmanship | (Premium A) |
| 14. CHAMPION LLAMA JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 15. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 16. ALSA Alpaca Junior Showmanship | (Premium A) |
| 17. CHAMPION ALPACA JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 18. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 19. ALSA Llama Sub-Junior Showmanship | (Rosette) |
| 20. CHAMPION LLAMA SUB-JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 21. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA SUB-JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 22. ALSA Alpaca Sub-Junior Showmanship | (Rosette) |
| 23. CHAMPION ALPACA SUB-JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 24. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA SUB-JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 25. ALSA Llama Senior Obstacle | (Premium A) |
| 26. CHAMPION LLAMA SENIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 27. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA SENIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 28. ALSA Alpaca Senior Obstacle | (Premium A) |
| 29. CHAMPION ALPACA SENIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 30. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA SENIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 31. ALSA Llama Intermediate Obstacle | (Premium A) |
| 32. CHAMPION LLAMA INTERMEDIATE OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 33. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA INTERMEDIATE OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 34. ALSA Alpaca Intermediate Obstacle | (Premium A) |
| 35. CHAMPION ALPACA INTERMEDIATE OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 36. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA INTERMEDIATE OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 37. ALSA Llama Junior Obstacle | (Premium A) |
| 38. CHAMPION LLAMA JUNIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 39. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA JUNIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 40. ALSA Alpaca Junior Obstacle | (Premium A) |
| 41. CHAMPION ALPACA JUNIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 42. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA JUNIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 43. ALSA Llama Sub-Junior Obstacle | (Rosette) |
| 44. CHAMPION LLAMA SUB-JUNIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 45. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA SUB-JUNIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 46. ALSA Alpaca Sub-Junior Obstacle | (Rosette) |
| 47. CHAMPION ALPACA SUB-JUNIOR OBSTACLE | (Banner & Trophy) |

48. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA SUB-JUNIOR OBSTACLE	(Banner & Trophy)
49. ALSA Llama Senior Public Relations	(Premium A)
50. CHAMPION LLAMA SENIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
51. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA SENIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
52. ALSA Alpaca Senior Public Relations	(Premium A)
53. CHAMPION ALPACA SENIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
54. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA SENIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
55. ALSA Llama Intermediate Public Relations	(Premium A)
56. CHAMPION LLAMA INTERMEDIATE PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
57. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA INTERMEDIATE PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
58. ALSA Alpaca Intermediate Public Relations	(Premium A)
59. CHAMPION ALPACA INTERMEDIATE PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
60. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA INTERMEDIATE PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
61. ALSA Llama Junior Public Relations	(Premium A)
62. CHAMPION LLAMA JUNIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
63. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA JUNIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
64. ALSA Alpaca Junior Public Relations	(Premium A)
65. CHAMPION ALPACA JUNIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
66. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA JUNIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
67. ALSA Llama Sub-Junior Public Relations	(Rosette)
68. CHAMPION LLAMA SUB-JUNIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
69. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA SUB-JUNIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
70. ALSA Alpaca Sub-Junior Public Relations	(Rosette)
71. CHAMPION ALPACA SUB-JUNIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
72. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA SUB-JUNIOR PUBLIC RELATIONS	(Banner & Trophy)
73. ALSA Llama Senior Pack	(Premium A)
74. CHAMPION LLAMA SENIOR PACK	(Banner & Trophy)
75. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA SENIOR PACK	(Banner & Trophy)
76. ALSA Llama Intermediate Pack	(Premium A)
77. CHAMPION LLAMA INTERMEDIATE PACK	(Banner & Trophy)
78. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA INTERMEDIATE PACK	(Banner & Trophy)
79. ALSA Llama Junior Pack	(Premium A)
80. CHAMPION LLAMA JUNIOR PACK	(Banner & Trophy)
81. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA JUNIOR PACK	(Banner & Trophy)

ALSA Llama Youth Performance Champion: Tabulated using the ALSA Point Chart, awarded for the most points earned for his/her Age Division in required Obstacle, Pack and Public Relations Class. The same animal must be shown in all 3 classes unless the animal is less than 12 months, at which time the Youth may use a second animal for Pack Class. No entry is required for this class, exhibitors must check in with the show desk to verify qualification and entry is automatic for those with the required entries.

82. SENIOR YOUTH LLAMA GRAND CHAMPION	(Premium D)
83. SENIOR YOUTH LLAMA RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION	(Premium D)
84. INTERMEDIATE YOUTH LLAMA GRAND CHAMPION	(Premium D)
85. INTERMEDIATE YOUTH LLAMA RESERVE CHAMPION	(Premium D)
86. JUNIOR YOUTH LLAMA GRAND CHAMPION PERFORMANCE	(Premium D)
87. JUNIOR YOUTH LLAMA RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PERFORMANCE	(Premium D)

ALSA Alpaca Youth Performance Champion: Tabulated using the ALSA Point chart awarded for the most points earned for his/her age division in required Showmanship, Obstacle and Public Relations. Ties will be broken by the placing in the Showmanship Class. No entry is required for this class, exhibitors must check in with the show desk to verify qualification and entry is automatic for those with the required entries.

88. SENIOR YOUTH ALPACA CHAMPION PERFORMANCE	(Premium D)
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89. SENIOR YOUTH ALPACA RESERVE CHAMPION PERFORMANCE	(Premium D)
90. INTERMEDIATE YOUTH ALPACA CHAMPION PERFORMANCE	(Premium D)
91. INTERMEDIATE YOUTH ALPACA RESERVE CHAMPION PERFORMANCE	(Premium D)
92. JUNIOR YOUTH ALPACA CHAMPION PERFORMANCE	(Premium D)
93. JUNIOR YOUTH ALPACA RESERVE CHAMPION PERFORMANCE	(Premium D)

ALSA Youth Champion Awards: Exhibitors must compete in Showmanship, Public Relations, and Obstacle classes to be eligible. No entry is required for this class, exhibitors must check in with the show desk to verify qualification and entry is automatic for those with the required entries.

94. LLAMA YOUTH CHAMPION AWARD	(Trophy & Premium B)
95. LLAMA YOUTH RESERVE CHAMPION AWARD	(Trophy)
96. ALPACA YOUTH CHAMPION AWARD	(Trophy & Premium B)
97. ALPACA YOUTH RESERVE CHAMPION AWARD	(Trophy)

HLSR Youth Project High Point Award: Exhibitors and/or Groups who participate in an organized Llama/Alpaca program such as 4-H, FFA, School Ranches and Private SCLA Llama/Alpaca Ranches are eligible to compete for the HLSR Youth Project High Point Award. The competition will consist of two categories: individual and group. Eligible exhibitors may compete in the individual and/or group category(s). **Exhibitors and/or Groups must notify the show desk of participation in this contest upon arrival. No entry is required for this class, entry is automatic for those with the required entries.**

In memory of one of the HLSR Llama/Alpaca Committee members, the committee will award a \$500 Savings Bond to the winner of **Llama** HLS&R Individual Youth Project High Point Award and **Alpaca** HLS&R Individual Youth Project High Point Award.

The Youth Group may consist of 2 to 4 eligible exhibitors from a designated youth group. Exhibitors may only participate in one group. Youth Groups may submit more than one group for competition, but must be designated as Group A, Group B, etc. Each Youth Group must have a Designated Youth Group Leader. One Youth Group Leader may be leader for multiple groups from a particular organization. **The Designated Youth Group Leader of the winning group shall be presented with a HLS&R Trophy Belt Buckle.**

Everything counts; this is an active participation award for overall knowledge of the breed and exhibition along with the accumulative total aspect of the show.

To qualify for the HLSR Youth Project High Point Award, exhibitors and/or group must:

1. Exhibitors must participate in all breed applicable Performance classes (Obstacle, Public Relation and Pack) and Showmanship. Participation in Halter, Fleece, Costume, and other classes will be included in the cumulative score but are not required to qualify for the award.
2. Must participate in the individual interviews conducted by the selection committee for either the individual and/or group award.
3. Exhibitors will be randomly observed by the HLSR selection committee. They will be looking for the individual's involvement with the daily preparation and care of his/her animal's needs.
4. Each Exhibitor, as an individual or group should prominently display at least one visual item with their animal tack stall and/or at individual animal stall. Item(s) will count for up to a potential of 10 maximum added points to the total score. Exhibitors will not be precluded from participating in competition without item, but will be short a potential of 10 points.
5. Visual item(s) are to be created by the exhibitor and should communicate the exhibitor's interaction with his/her animal and how the animal influences the exhibitor's daily life. Creativity will be taken into consideration for points. **Acceptable visual items include:**
 - a. Record books
 - b. Scrap books
 - c. Project books
 - d. Poster
 - e. Any type of media presentation such as power point or video (Equipment to be provided by exhibitor for prominent display such as a DVD player, TV player, or laptop)

Scoring System: Points are awarded for all classes (Halter, Fleece, Performance, Showmanship, and Costume) based on the ALSA points award system.

ALSA POINT CHART

# of entries per class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
3 to 4	1								
5	2	1							
6	3	2	1						
7	4	3	2	1					
8 to 15	5	4	3	2	1				
16 to 23	6	5	4	3	2	1			
24 to 31	7	6	5	4	3	2	1		
32 to 39	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	
40 and over	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

For the interview, random observation and visual item(s); the exhibitor, as an individual or group, will be awarded points on a scale of 1 to 10 with 10 being the most possible points for each of these categories. Points for these categories will be determined by the selection committee. The individual exhibitor with the highest total cumulative score of all points in the llama and alpaca divisions will receive the award. The youth group score will be calculated by totaling all individual exhibitors' cumulative scores in the group, and the group with the highest score in the llama and alpaca divisions will receive the award. No entry is required for this class, exhibitors must check in with the show desk to verify qualification and entry is automatic for those with the required entries.

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| 98. HLSR Project Award – Individual Llama | (Trophy & Savings Bond) |
| 99. HLSR Project Award – Individual Alpaca | (Trophy & Savings Bond) |
| 100. HLSR Project Award – Group Llama | (HLS&R Award) |
| 101. HLSR Project Award – Group Alpaca | (HLS&R Award) |

ALSA Llama Youth Costume: Ages 8 through 18, an ALSA Optional Class, no ALSA points awarded. Entertaining for the basic skills in fitting, grooming, following directions and style of presenting the animal to judge for evaluation. The animal's conformation is not considered.

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| 102. Llama Youth Costume | (Premium C) |
| 103. CHAMPION LLAMA YOUTH COSTUME | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 104. RESERVE CHAMPION LLAMA YOUTH COSTUME | (Banner & Trophy) |

ALSA Alpaca Youth Costume: Ages 8 through 18, an ALSA Optional Class, no ALSA points awarded. Entertaining for the basic skills in fitting, grooming, following directions and style of presenting the animal to judge for evaluation. The animal's conformation is not considered.

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| 105. Alpaca Youth Costume | (Premium C) |
| 106. CHAMPION ALPACA YOUTH COSTUME | (Banner & Trophy) |
| 107. RESERVE CHAMPION ALPACA YOUTH COSTUME | (Banner & Trophy) |

LLOAN-A-LLAMA: Open to youth 5 years old and in Kindergarten through 18 years of age who do not own or lease a llama/alpaca. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ Llama Committee will provide animals. Practice and judging will focus on handling animals and negotiating obstacles. This contest is limited to those youth who are not showing livestock at the 2011 Houston Livestock Show. Entry must be made through the Llama and Alpaca Committee. Trophies and ribbons will be presented. No premiums will be paid. No class fee.

BEGINNER: For those youth, ages 5 through 18, who have never participated in this Committee program.

Junior Beginner Division: age 5 to 10
Senior Beginner Division: age 11 to 18

ADVANCED: For those youth that have participated previously in this program, but who do not qualify to exhibit in the approved youth classes. Youth may participate in the Advanced class only one time.

Junior Advanced Division: age 5 to 10
Senior Advanced Division: age 11 to 18

A limited number of Ranches/Farms or individuals donating animals to the Lloan-A-Llama program receive cash incentive and the owners of the animals that place 1st and 2nd in the different age/level divisions receive Director Chairs. Contact Barbara Seynaeve, email, barbwired11@peoplepc.com and copy show superintendent Danette McCleary, e-mail, hdmcclary@sbcglobal.net to participate in the 2011 Lloan-a-Llama.

Sheep Dog Trials

Department G

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Sheep and Goat Committee\$5,000

Move-in:	Saturday, March 12	8 a.m.
Show :	Saturday, March 12	noon
Must be out by:	Saturday, March 12	8 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Sheep Dog Trials

1. Entry Requirements: Official Entry form, along with entry fee of \$40 (per animal), should be mailed to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, PO BOX 20070, Houston, TX. 77225. Entry deadline is Jan. 5, 2011. Late entries will be received if space is available, until Feb. 15, 2011 with a \$25 late fee per animal.

On-line entry and on-line payment is available for Sheep Dog Trial entries via the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo website: www.rodeohouston.com.

2. Health Requirements: Refer to the Texas Animal Health Commission Rules. Health Papers will be checked at check-in, Animals not in compliance with animal health rules will be escorted off premises.
3. Trophy: There will be a trophy awarded to each class winner. A buckle will be presented to the premier exhibitor. Premier Exhibitor will be determined by the exhibitor who places the most animals overall.
4. Divisions: Open, Open Ranch, Ranch, Novice, Nursery.
5. Animals: Dogs will only be allowed in unloading dock area of Reliant Center, the staging area, and the Main arena during competition. Dogs are not permitted in other areas of Reliant Park. Potty areas will be designated and owners should make their best attempt to use these areas.
6. Competition: One trial with two runs. Winner will be determined by the best cumulative time on the two runs. Sliding scale payout will be used. Premiums will be paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Total purse will be \$5,000.
7. Check In: Owners should check-in animals at Dock C of Reliant Center. Check-in will begin at 8 a.m. and will continue until 11:30 am.

Open Breeding Rabbits

* DOUBLE SHOW *

Judges – TBD

Secretary – Phyllis Hensen – Somerville, Texas

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 19	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Saturday	March 19	10 a.m.
Show Begins	Saturday	March 19	1 p.m.
Show Continues:	Sunday	March 20	8 a.m.
Costume Contest:	Sunday	March 20	10:30 a.m.
Awards:	Sunday	March 20	1 p.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 20	2 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 20	3 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Open Breeding Rabbit Show

1. **Show Sanctioning:** This show is officially sanctioned by the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) and is conducted in accordance with its latest revised rules. An ARBA Registrar will be available at the show. Times the registrar will be available for registering rabbits will be posted in the rabbit arena area.
2. **Sanctioned Breeds:**
 - a. 4 Class –Dutch, Holland Lop, Mini Lop, Mini Rex, Mini Satin, Netherland Dwarf, Polish, Silver Marten, Tan
 - b. 6 Class – Californian, Champagne D' Argent, English Lop, Flemish Giant, French Lop, New Zealand, Satin
 - c. There is no Meat Pen division in the Open Breeding Rabbit Show.
3. **Entry Requirements:**
 - a. Minimum entry is one to three rabbits for a minimum entry fee of \$15 (\$24 if entering both shows). One rabbit must be shown to receive an exhibitor badge. Exhibitors must enter Show A to enter Show B. Both Shows must be entered by the entry deadline.
 - b. The same animal may not be shown in both the Open and Youth Shows.
4. **Check-In:** Animals are subject to inspection at check-in. Animals showing symptoms of any contagious disease at check-in or later must leave the Show grounds.
5. **Substitutions:** Substitutions are allowed in the same class, sex, breed, and variety as the original entry. Substitutions must be made to the show secretary when the animals are checked in. Substitution Fee is \$2 per rabbit in Show A and \$1 per rabbit in Show B.
6. **Identification:** Rabbits must have a permanent tattoo in the left ear. No animal will be checked in without a permanent tattoo.
7. **Care of Animals:** Exhibitors must bring water and feed containers. Official signs stating "Exhibitors will Feed and/or Water Their Own Rabbits" will be available at check-in. If the exhibitor does not want the Rabbit Committee volunteers to feed or water the animals, the official sign must be on the cage. Signs other than the official sign will not be read. Exhibitors are responsible for security of animals.
8. **Show Competition:** Animals in locked cages at show time will not be shown.
9. **Prizes:** Show A sanctioned breeds with 1-9 animals shown will be eligible for class premiums and rosettes; 10+ animals will be eligible for class premiums, trophies, and cash awards. Non-sanctioned breeds will be eligible for class premiums and rosettes. Show B sanctioned breeds with 10+ animals shown will be eligible for breed awards.
10. **Sales:** Exhibitors are not allowed to sell animals unless the animals are entered in the Show. Exhibitors selling rabbits must get a release from Rabbit Show officials for all animals sold before removing the animals from the Show grounds. No early releases for sale animals will be provided. Rabbits not entered in the Show are not allowed on Show grounds. "For Sale" signs will not be allowed.
11. **Check-Out:** Only the exhibitor may check-out his or her rabbits. Animals left after check-out time will forfeit awards, ribbons, and money & the exhibitor not be allowed to Show the following year

12. **Payments:** Checks will not be issued for premiums less than \$5.

Open Breeding Rabbit Show Premium Schedule

Show A

All breeds entered and judged in Show A are eligible for class premiums based on number of rabbits judged in each class.

Class Premiums:

# in Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5th
2	\$2.00				
3-4	\$4.00	\$2.00			
5-6	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00		
7-8	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00	
9+	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00

All **sanctioned breeds** in Show A are eligible to receive awards for Best of Breed and Best Opposite Sex. Sanctioned breeds with 10 or more rabbits entered and judged are eligible to receive:

Best of Breed Award + Cash
Best Opposite Sex Award + Cash

Non-sanctioned breeds entered and judged in Show A will receive rosettes for Best of Breed and Best Opposite Sex.

Show B

All **Show B sanctioned breeds** will receive Best of Breed and Best Opposite Sex cash awards in compliance with breed specialty club rules.

Shows A & B

**Additional awards are presented by the
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ Rabbit Committee:**

Best In Show Award + Cash
First Runner-Up Award + Cash
Second Runner-Up Award + Cash
Best of Best Opposites Award + Cash

*Determination of sanctioned breeds based on number of animals entered and shown the year prior.

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OFFICIAL TRBA SANCTIONED SHOW: Carol Hooks, Secretary, 8761 Aycock Road, Moody, TX 76557. Dues - Adult or Youth \$13.00 per year, Husband/Wife or Two People Same Address \$25.00 per year. For each individual in excess of 2 at the same address add \$3.00 per year. Open or Youth Show Sanction \$10.00 Each.

American Cavy Breeders Association

James D. Nielsen - 1157 E San Angelo Ave - Gilbert, AZ 85234
480-545-1785 ACBAsec-treas@nghs.net

Membership: (1 yr) Adult; New \$25.00, Renew \$20.00 - Youth; New \$20.00, Renew \$15.00 - Family; New \$30.00, Renew \$25.00 -

(3 yr) Adult; New \$60.00, Renew \$55.00 - Youth; New \$45.00, Renew \$40.00 - Family; New \$75.00, Renew \$70.00 - Canadian additional \$5.00 per year - Foreign: additional \$20.00 per year. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$8.00

American Dutch Rabbit Club

Barb Kline - 4664 S CO RD 591 - New Riegel, OH 44853

419-595-2050 ADRCsecretary@aol.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$10.00 Youth \$8.00 - H/W \$14.00 - Family \$20.00 - (Canadians add \$5.00 per year mailing fee - Foreign add \$8.00 per year mailing fee) Sanction Fee: Open \$9.00 - Youth \$6.00. Send sanctions to: Jill Pfaff, 5520 NW Shasta Ave, Corvallis, OR 97330. Ph: 541-753-0128. Email: adrcsanctions@yahoo.com

American English Spot Rabbit Club

Michael Wiley Sr - 5772 Owenton Rd - Stamping Ground, KY 40379-9614

502-535-7051 kyfancy2@aol.com

Membership: Adult \$10.00 - H/W or Family \$13.00 - Youth \$7.00 - Foreign same as US - Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$5.00

American Federation of New Zealand Rabbit Breeders

John Neff - 1351 Holder Lane - Geneva, FL 32732

407-349-0450 newzealand1121@aol.com

Membership: Adult \$14.00 (new) \$12.00 (renewal) H/W \$16.00 (new) \$14.00 (renewal) - Youth \$12.00 (new) \$7.00 (renewal) Family \$27.00 (new) \$22.00 (renewal) - Canadian \$16.00 (new) \$14.00 (renewal) - All other Foreign \$40.00 - Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00 - Youth \$8.00

American Netherland Dwarf Rabbit Club

Sue Travis - 326 Travis Lane - Rockwall, TX 75032

972-771-4394 travisdwar@aol.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult: new \$15.00 renew \$13.00 2 member family: new \$20.00 renew \$15.00 - Youth: new \$10.00 renew \$8.00 - 3+ member family: new \$25.00 renew \$20.00 - (3 yr) Adult: new \$40.00 renew \$35.00 - 2 member family: new \$45.00 renew \$37.00 - Youth: new \$25.00 renew \$20.00 - 3+ member family new \$50.00 renew \$42.00 - Canada & Mexico add \$8.00 per year - Other Foreign add \$15.00 per year (US Funds). Sanction Fee: Open \$15.00 - Youth \$10.00 - Sweepstakes Chairperson: David Pett, 17 Ponderay Place, Concord, CA 94521 E-mail: andrcsanc@aol.com

American Polish Rabbit Club

Patti Walthrop - 2405 Greenridge Ct - Euless, TX 76039

817-312-0305 pwalthrop@tx.rr.com

Membership: Adult or Youth \$8.00 - H/W \$10.00 Family \$12.50 (residing at same address) - Foreign \$20.00. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$10.00

American Satin Rabbit Breeders Association

Clarence Linsey - 316 South Mahaffie - Olathe, KS 66061-4756

913-764-1531 clinsey@mnu.edu

Membership: (1 yr) Adult: new \$15.00, renewal \$10.00 - H/W: new \$17.00, renewal \$12.00 - Youth: new \$13.00, renewal \$8.00 - Family: new \$19.00, renewal \$14.00 - (3 yr) Adult: new \$30.00, renewal \$25.00 - H/W: new \$35.00, renewal \$30.00 - Youth: new \$25.00, renewal \$20.00 - Family: new \$40.00, renewal \$35.00 - Foreign add \$10.00 per year surcharge - Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00 - Youth \$7.00 (Fees cover both Satins and Mini Satins)

American Tan Rabbit Specialty Club

Virginia Akin - 718 CR 216 - Sweetwater, TX 79556

325-236-4032 tanrbt@sbcglobal.net

Membership: Adult new \$13.00 - renew \$8.00 - H/W new \$17.00 - renew \$12.00 - Youth new \$10.00 - renew \$5.00 - Family new \$20.00 - renew \$15.00 (includes all Youth under 18 yrs) - Life membership \$75.00 each - Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$4.00

Californian Rabbit Specialty Club

Don Mersiovsky - 1156 Elm Grove Spur - Belton, TX 76513

254-939-0345 secretary@nationalcalclub.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$10.00 - H/W \$15.00 - Youth \$5.00 - (3 yr) Adult \$28.00 - H/W \$43.00 - Youth \$15.00 - Canada and Foreign (1 yr) \$15.00 - (3 yr) \$45.00. [\$2.00 per year each child after first youth in family]. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$5.00

Champagne d'Argent Rabbit Federation

Wayne Cleer - 1704 Heisel Ave - Pekin, IL 61554

309-347-1347 cleerchamp@grics.net

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$10.00 - Husband/Wife \$12.00 - Family or Rabbitry \$15.00 - Youth \$6.00 - (3 yr) Adult \$27.00 - Husband/Wife \$33.00 Family or Rabbitry \$42.00 - Foreign add \$10.00 surcharge per year. Sanction Fee: Open \$9.00 - Youth \$6.00

Holland Lop Rabbit Specialty Club

Pandora Allen - 2633 Seven Eleven Rd - Chesapeake, VA 23322-3144 757-421-9607 HLRSCSec@aol.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult: New \$15.00, Renew \$10.00 - Combination: New \$19.00, Renew \$14.00 - Youth: New \$12.00, Renew \$7.00 - Family: New \$22.00, Renew \$17.00 - (3 yr) Adult: New \$32.00, Renew \$27.00 - Combination: New \$45.00, Renew \$40.00 - Youth: New \$23.00, Renew \$18.00 - Family: New \$54.00, Renew \$49.00 - Canadian & Mexico service charge \$5.00 (1 yr), \$15.00 (3 yr) - All other Foreign service charge \$10.00 (1 yr), \$30.00 (3 yr) Sanction Fee: Open \$15.00 - Youth \$10.00. Send sanction requests to: Linda Pett, 17 Ponderay Place, Concord, CA 94521. Ph: 510-687-7656. email: Pettrabbit@aol.com

Lop Rabbit Club of America, Inc

Jeanne Welch - P.O. Box 236 - Hornbrook, CA 96044

530-475-3371 LRCASECRETARY@aol.com

Membership: Adult \$11.00 (new) \$8.00 (renewal) - H/W \$15.00 (new) \$12.00 (renewal) - Youth \$10.00 (new) \$7.00 (renewal) - 2 or more years (per year) Adult \$8.00 - H/W \$12.00 - Youth \$7.00 - Family \$5.00 per youth per year with adult membership - Foreign add \$6.00 per year service fee - Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00 - Youth \$6.00

Mini Lop Rabbit Club of America

Pennie Grotheer - PO Box 17 - Pittsburg, KS 66762

417-842-3317 minilop@hughes.net

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$15.00 - H/W \$18.00 - Youth \$10.00 - Family \$20.00 - (2 yr) Adult \$28.00 - H/W \$34.00 - Youth \$15.00 - Family \$38.00 - Foreign add \$5.00 per year surcharge. Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00 - Youth \$6.00

National Federation of Flemish Giant Rabbit Breeders, Inc

Judith Welch - 1460 McGill Hollow Rd - Linden, PA 17744

570-321-1013 Flemishsec@aol.com

Membership: Adult or Youth \$10.00 (new) \$8.00 (renewal) - H/W \$15.00 (new) \$10.00 (renewal) - Family \$20.00 (new) \$18.00 (renewal) - Foreign: \$25.00 (new) \$20.00 (renewal) - All payable in US Funds]. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$10.00 - Open & Youth Combination \$18.00 (but must use 1 show secretary)

National Jersey Wooly Rabbit Club

Amanda Pitsch - 15677 24th Ave - Marne, MI 49435

616-677-0601 amanda@pitschfork.com

Membership: Adult (1 yr) \$14.00 new, \$10.00 renewal - (3 yr) \$27.00 new, \$24.00 renewal - Youth (1 yr) \$9.00 new, \$6.50 renewal - (3 yr) \$21.00 new, \$18.00 renewal - (\$2.00 per year for each additional person at same address) - Foreign service charge \$5.00 per year. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$10.00. Send sanction requests to: Richard Gehr, 190 N First Ave, Coal City, IL 60416.

Ph: 815-634-2676. email: njwrcsweepstakes@aol.com

National Mini Rex Rabbit Club

Doug King - 2719 Terrace Ave - Sanger, CA 93657

559-787-2588 kingsminirex@msn.com

Membership: (1 Yr) Adult \$15.00 - Youth \$15.00 - H/W \$20.00 - Family \$30.00 - Foreign: \$30.00 - (3 Yr) Adult \$40.00 - Youth \$40.00 - H/W \$50.00 - Family \$75.00 - Foreign: \$80.00. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$10.00

Silver Marten Rabbit Club

Leslie Tucker - 2113 Sommer St - Napa, CA 94559

707-255-2821 Ltucker@silvermarten.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$12.00 (New), \$7.00 (Renew) - H/W \$16.00 (New), \$10.00 (Renew) - Youth \$9.00 (New), \$5.00 (Renew) - Family (New) \$3.00 per youth plus H/W fee, (Renew) \$2.00 per youth plus H/W fee; (3 yr) Adult \$21.00 (New), \$18.00 (Renew) - H/W \$30.00 (New), \$25.00 (Renew) - Youth \$15.00 (New), \$12.00 (Renew) - Family (New) \$6.00 per youth plus H/W fee, (Renew) \$5.00 per youth plus H/W fee - Foreign add \$5.00 per membership per year surcharge -Sanction Fee: Open \$8.00 - Youth \$4.00.

Cavies

* DOUBLE SHOW *

Judge –

Secretary – Phyllis Hensen – Franklin, Texas

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 19	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Saturday	March 19	10 a.m.
Show Begins	Saturday	March 19	1 p.m.
Show Continues:	Sunday	March 20	8 a.m.
Costume Contest	Sunday	March 20	10:30 a.m.
Awards:	Sunday	March 20	1 p.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 20	2 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 20	3 p.m.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for the Cavy Show

1. **Show Sanctioning:** This show is officially sanctioned by the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) and is conducted in accordance with its latest revised rules.
2. **Entry Requirements:**
 - a. Minimum entry is one to three cavies for a minimum entry fee of \$15 (\$24 if entering both shows). One cavy must be shown to receive an exhibitor badge. Exhibitors must enter Show A to enter Show B. Both Shows must be entered by the entry deadline.
3. **Check-In:** Animals are subject to inspection at check-in. Animals showing symptoms of any contagious disease at check-in or later must leave the Show grounds.
4. **Substitutions:** Substitutions are allowed in the same class, sex, breed, and variety as the original entry. Substitutions must be made to the show secretary when the animals are checked in. Substitution Fee is \$2 per cavy in Show A and \$1 per cavy in Show B.
5. **Identification:** Cavies must have a permanent ear tag in the left ear. No entry will be checked in without an ear tag.
6. **Care of Animals:** Exhibitors must bring water and feed containers and are responsible for feeding and watering their own animals. Exhibitors wishing to show, but not able to attend all three days, may contact the Cavy Captain at check-in and make arrangements to have their cavies fed, watered and shown. The cavy captain will secure the cages before closing the show area for the night.
7. **Show Competition:** Animals in locked cages at show time will not be shown.
8. **Sales:** Exhibitors may sell animals that are entered in the Show. Exhibitors selling cavies must get a release from Cavy Show officials for all animals sold before removing the animals from the Show grounds. No early releases for sale animals will be provided. Only cavies entered in the show are allowed on the show grounds. "For Sale signs are not allowed.
9. **Check-Out:** Only the exhibitor may check-out his/her cavies. Animals left after checkout time will forfeit awards, ribbons, and money & the exhibitor will not be allowed to show the following year.

Cavy Show

10. **Payments:** Checks will not be issued for premiums less than \$5.
11. **Exhibitor Eligibility:** Youth exhibitors must be enrolled in a public, private, elementary, or secondary school in Texas. Exhibitor must be at least in the third grade or 8 years old, but not older than 18 years old on the day that judging begins.
12. **Prizes:** Only sanctioned breeds with 10 or more entries will receive awards and premiums.

Open Cavy Premium Schedule

Show A

All cavies entered and judged in Show A are eligible for class premiums based on number of cavies judged in each class.

Class Premiums:

# in Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5th
2	\$2.00				
3-4	\$4.00	\$2.00			
5-6	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00		
7-8	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00	
9+	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00

Breeds with 10 or more cavies entered and judged are eligible to receive the following:

Best of Breed	Award + Cash
Best Opposite Sex	Award + Cash

Show B

All cavies entered and judged in Show B to receive Best of Breed and Best Opposite Sex cash awards in compliance with breed specialty club rules.

Shows A & B

**Additional awards are presented by the
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ Rabbit Committee:**

Best In Show	Award + Cash
First Runner-Up	Award + Cash
Second Runner-Up	Award + Cash
Best of Best Opposites	Award + Cash

Youth Breeding Rabbits

Judges –

Secretary – Linda Allan – Brenham, Texas

Begin Arrival:	Wednesday	March 16	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Wednesday	March 16	7 p.m.
Show:	Thursday	March 17	8 a.m.
Judging Contest:	Thursday	March 17	8 a.m.
Show (cont.):	Friday	March 18	8 a.m.
Awards:	Friday	March 18	2 p.m.
Begin Release:	Friday	March 18	3 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Friday	March 18	8 p.m.

(All times subject to change)

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Youth Breeding Rabbits Show

1. **Show Sanctioning:** This show is officially sanctioned by the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) and is conducted in accordance with its latest revised rules. An ARBA Registrar will be present at the show. Times the Registrar will be available for registering rabbits will be posted in the Rabbit Show area.
2. **Sanctioned Breeds:**
 - a. 4 Class – American Fuzzy Lop, Dutch, Dwarf Hotot, Florida White, Harlequin, Havana, Himalayan, Holland Lop, Jersey Wooly, Mini Lop, Mini Rex, Mini Satin, Netherland Dwarf, Polish
 - b. 6 Class – Californian, Champagne D' Argent, English Lop, Flemish Giant, French Lop, New Zealand, Satin
3. **Entry Requirements:**
 - a. Minimum entry is one to three rabbits for a minimum entry fee of \$15, per exhibitor. One rabbit must be shown to receive an exhibitor badge.
 - b. The same animal may not be shown in both the Open and Youth Shows.
4. **Exhibitor Eligibility:** Exhibitor must be enrolled in a public, private, elementary, or secondary school in Texas. Exhibitor must be at least in the third grade or 8 years old, but not older than 18 years old on the day that judging begins.
5. **Check-In:** Animals will be inspected at check-in. Animals showing symptoms of any contagious disease at check-in or later must leave the Show grounds.
6. **Substitutions:** Substitutions only are allowed in the same class, sex, breed, and variety as the original entry. Substitutions must be made to the show secretary when the animals are checked in. Substitution Fee is \$1 per animal.
7. **Identification:** Rabbits must have a permanent tattoo in the left ear. No entry will be checked in without an ear mark.
8. **Care of Animals:** Exhibitors must bring water and feed containers. Official signs stating "Exhibitors will Feed and/or Water Their Own Rabbits" will be available at check-in. If the exhibitor does not want Rabbit Committee volunteers to feed or water the animals, the official sign must be on the cage. Signs other than the official sign will not be read.
9. **Show Competition:** Animals in locked cages at show time will not be shown.
10. **Prizes:** Only sanctioned breeds with 10 or more animals shown will receive awards. Only sanctioned breeds with 20 or more rabbits shown will receive premiums.
11. **Sales:** Exhibitors are not allowed to sell animals unless the animals are entered in the show. Exhibitors selling rabbits must get a release from Rabbit Show officials for all animals sold before removing the animals from the Show grounds. Rabbits not entered in the Show are not allowed on Show grounds. "For Sale" signs are not allowed.

12. **Check-Out:** Only the exhibitor may check-out his or her rabbits. Animals left after check-out time will forfeit awards, ribbons, and money & the exhibitor will not be allowed to show the following year.

Special Rules for Youth Rabbit Judging Contest

Thursday, March 17

8 a.m.

Reliant Center, Room TBA

1. Contestants must have rabbits entered and judged in the current Houston Livestock Show.
2. Awards will be presented to first, second and third place winners in both the individual and team contests.
3. Junior Division Contest: Contestants 8 to 10 years of age will take a written judging test.
4. Intermediate Division Contest: Contestants 11 to 13 years of age will take a written judging test.
5. Senior Division Contest: Contestants 14 to 18 years of age will take a written judging test and place a class of live rabbits.
6. Team Judging Contest: Each team will consist of four youth exhibitors. If a team wishes to compete in the Junior Division of this contest, all four team members must meet the Junior Division age requirements.
7. First Timer's Contest: Contestants ages 8-11 who have not previously competed in a Youth Rabbit Judging Contest. Individual contest ONLY – No teams. Award presented to first place winner.
8. Breed Identification: All divisions

Youth Breeding Rabbit Show Premium Schedule

All breeds are eligible for class premiums
based on number of rabbits judged in each class.

Class Premiums:

# in Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5th
3	\$5.00				
4-5	\$7.00	\$6.00	\$5.00		
6-7	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$6.00	
8-9	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$6.00
10-14	\$13.00	\$11.00	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00
15+	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$15.00	\$14.00	\$13.00

All **sanctioned breeds** in are eligible to receive awards for Best of Breed and Best Opposite Sex. Sanctioned breeds with 20 or more rabbits entered and judged are eligible to receive:

Best of Breed Award + Cash
Best Opposite Sex Award + Cash

Non-sanctioned breeds will receive rosettes for Best of Breed and Best Opposite Sex.

Shows A & B

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Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ Rabbit Committee:

Best In Show Award + Cash
First Runner-Up Award + Cash
Second Runner-Up Award + Cash
Best of Best Opposites Award + Cash

*Determination of sanctioned breeds based on number of animals entered and shown the year prior.

*First, second and third place winners in individual and team contests will be eligible for awards and cash premiums.

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OFFICIAL TRBA SANCTIONED SHOW: Carrol Hooks, Secretary, 8761 Aycock Road, Moody, TX 76557. Dues - Adult or Youth \$13.00 per year, Husband/Wife or Two People Same Address \$25.00 per year. For each individual in excess of 2 at the same address add \$3.00 per year. Open or Youth Show Sanction \$10.00 Each.

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419-595-2050 ADRCsecretary@aol.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$10.00 Youth \$8.00 - H/W \$14.00 - Family \$20.00 - (Canadians add \$5.00 per year mailing fee - Foreign add \$8.00 per year mailing fee) Sanction Fee: Open \$9.00 - Youth \$6.00. Send sanctions to: Jill Pfaff, 5520 NW Shasta Ave, Corvallis, OR 97330. Ph: 541-753-0128. Email: adrcsanctions@yahoo.com

American Federation of New Zealand Rabbit Breeders

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407-349-0450 newzealand1121@aol.com

Membership: Adult \$14.00 (new) \$12.00 (renewal) H/W \$16.00 (new) \$14.00 (renewal) - Youth \$12.00 (new) \$7.00 (renewal) Family \$27.00 (new) \$22.00 (renewal) - Canadian \$16.00 (new) \$14.00 (renewal) - All other Foreign \$40.00 - Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00 - Youth \$8.00

American Fuzzy Lop Rabbit Club

Muriel Keyes - 14255 SE Stephens - Portland, OR 97233

503-254-2902 danceswithwools@comcast.net

Membership: (1 yr) \$17.00 new, \$12.00 renewal - Family \$22.00 + \$2.00 per Youth new, \$17.00 + \$2.00 per Youth renewal - Canada \$22.00 - All other Foreign \$35.00 - (3 yr) \$37.00 new, \$32.00 renewal - Family \$54.00 + \$6.00 per Youth new, \$48.00 + \$6.00 per Youth renewal - Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$6.00. Send sanction requests to: Rob Grady, PO Box 267, Elbert, CO 80106-0267

Ph: 303-648-9976 email: AFLRCsweepschair@att.net

American Harlequin Rabbit Club

Judy Bustle - 132 Farmers Lane - State Road, NC 28676

336-874-7438 rograbbit@webtv.net

Membership: Adult \$5.00 - H/W \$7.00 Youth \$4.00 - Family \$10.00. Sanction Fee: Open \$6.00 - Youth \$6.00 (free with Open)

American Himalayan Rabbit Association

Errean Kratochvil - 7715 Callan Ct, New Port Richey, FL 34654

himi1@yahoo.com

American Netherland Dwarf Rabbit Club

Sue Travis - 326 Travis Lane - Rockwall, TX 75032

972-771-4394 travisdwar@aol.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult: new \$15.00 renew \$13.00 2 member family: new \$20.00 renew \$15.00 - Youth: new \$10.00 renew \$8.00 - 3+ member family: new \$25.00 renew \$20.00 - (3 yr) Adult: new \$40.00 renew \$35.00 - 2 member family: new \$45.00 renew \$37.00 - Youth: new \$25.00 renew \$20.00 - 3+ member family new \$50.00 renew \$42.00 - Canada & Mexico add \$8.00 per year - Other Foreign add \$15.00 per year (US Funds). Sanction Fee: Open \$15.00 - Youth \$10.00 - Sweepstakes Chairperson: David Pett, 17 Ponderay Place, Concord, CA 94521 E-mail: andrcsanc@aol.com

American Polish Rabbit Club

Patti Walthrop - 2405 Greenridge Ct - Euless, TX 76039

817-312-0305 pwalthrop@tx.rr.com

Membership: Adult or Youth \$8.00 - H/W \$10.00 Family \$12.50 (residing at same address) - Foreign \$20.00. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$10.00

American Satin Rabbit Breeders Association

Clarence Linsey - 316 South Mahaffie - Olathe, KS 66061-4756

913-764-1531 clinsey@mnu.edu

Membership: (1 yr) Adult: new \$15.00, renewal \$10.00 - H/W: new \$17.00, renewal \$12.00 - Youth: new \$13.00, renewal \$8.00 - Family: new \$19.00, renewal \$14.00 - (3 yr) Adult: new \$30.00, renewal \$25.00 - H/W: new \$35.00, renewal \$30.00 - Youth: new \$25.00, renewal \$20.00 - Family: new \$40.00, renewal \$35.00 - Foreign add \$10.00 per year surcharge - Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00 - Youth \$7.00 (Fees cover both Satins and Mini Satins)

Californian Rabbit Specialty Club

Don Mersiovsky - 1156 Elm Grove Spur - Belton, TX 76513

254-939-0345 secretary@nationalcalclub.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$10.00 - H/W \$15.00 - Youth \$5.00 - (3 yr) Adult \$28.00 - H/W \$43.00 - Youth \$15.00 - Canada and Foreign (1 yr) \$15.00 - (3 yr) \$45.00. [\$2.00 per year each child after first youth in family]. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$5.00

Champagne d'Argent Rabbit Federation

Wayne Cleer - 1704 Heisel Ave - Pekin, IL 61554

309-347-1347 cleerchamp@grics.net

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$10.00 - Husband/Wife \$12.00 - Family or Rabbitry \$15.00 - Youth \$6.00 - (3 yr) Adult \$27.00 - Hus

Cimmanon Rabbit Breeders Association

Nanvy Searle, 550 A Mherish Rd, Belchertown MA, 01007

309-347-1347 nsearle@umext.unmass.edu

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$8.00 - (3yr) \$22, (1yr) Youth \$4, (3yr) Youth \$11, (1yr) Husband/Wife \$12.00 - (1 yr) Family or Rabbitry \$12.00 - Youth \$2

Florida White Rabbit Breeders Association

Jane Meyer - 1795N 1800E Rd - Thawville, IL 60968

217-387-2427 arbayuth@illicom.net

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$7.00 - H/W or Partners \$ 10.00 - Youth \$5.00 - Family \$15.00 - (3 yr) Adult \$18.00 - H/W or Partners \$25.00 - Youth \$12.00 - Family \$40.00 - Single Life \$100.00 - Husband/Wife Life \$175.00. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$5.00 - Combination \$10.00

Havana Rabbit Breeders Association

Julia Rittenour - 5554 Old State Rd - Whittemore, MI 48770

989-387-5095 jrpalace@hotmail.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$8.00 - H/W \$11.50 - Youth \$6.00 - Family \$11.50 + \$3.50 per Youth at same address - (3 yr) Adult \$20.00 - H/W \$29.50 - Youth \$14.50 - Family \$29.50 + \$14.50 per Youth at same address. Sanction Fee: Open \$7.00 - Youth \$5.00 Open & Youth combined \$10.00

Holland Lop Rabbit Specialty Club

Pandora Allen - 2633 Seven Eleven Rd - Chesapeake, VA 23322-3144 757-421-9607 HLRSCSec@aol.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult: New \$15.00, Renew \$10.00 - Combination: New \$19.00, Renew \$14.00 - Youth: New \$12.00, Renew \$7.00 - Family: New \$22.00, Renew \$17.00 - (3 yr) Adult: New \$32.00, Renew \$27.00 - Combination: New \$45.00, Renew \$40.00 - Youth: New \$23.00, Renew \$18.00 - Family: New \$54.00, Renew \$49.00 - Canadian & Mexico service charge \$5.00 (1 yr), \$15.00 (3 yr) - All other Foreign service charge \$10.00 (1 yr), \$30.00 (3 yr) Sanction Fee: Open \$15.00 - Youth \$10.00. Send sanction requests to: Linda Pett, 17 Ponderay Place, Concord, CA 94521. Ph: 510-687-7656. email: Pettrabbit@aol.com

Mini Lop Rabbit Club of America

Pennie Grotheer - PO Box 17 - Pittsburg, KS 66762

417-842-3317 minilop@hughes.net

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$15.00 - H/W \$ 18.00 - Youth \$10.00 - Family \$20.00 - (2 yr) Adult \$28.00 - H/W \$34.00 - Youth \$15.00 - Family \$38.00 - Foreign add \$5.00 per year surcharge. Sanction Fee: Open \$12.00 - Youth \$6.00

National Jersey Wooly Rabbit Club

Amanda Pitsch - 15677 24th Ave - Marne, MI 49435

616-677-0601 amanda@pitschfork.com

Membership: Adult (1 yr) \$14.00 new, \$10.00 renewal - (3 yr) \$27.00 new, \$24.00 renewal - Youth (1 yr) \$9.00 new, \$6.50 renewal - (3 yr) \$21.00 new, \$18.00 renewal - (\$2.00 per year for each additional person at same address) - Foreign service charge \$5.00 per year. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$10.00. Send sanction requests to: Richard Gehr, 190 N First Ave, Coal City, IL 60416.

Ph: 815-634-2676. email: njwrswweepstakes@aol.com

National Mini Rex Rabbit Club

Doug King - 2719 Terrace Ave - Sanger, CA 93657

559-787-2588 kingsminirex@msn.com

Membership: (1 Yr) Adult \$15.00 - Youth \$15.00 - H/W \$20.00 - Family \$30.00 - Foreign: \$ 30.00 - (3 Yr) Adult \$40.00 - Youth \$40.00 - H/W \$50.00 - Family \$75.00 - Foreign: \$ 80.00. Sanction Fee: Open \$10.00 - Youth \$10.00

Silver Marten Rabbit Club

Leslie Tucker - 2113 Sommer St - Napa, CA 94559

707-255-2821

Ltucker@silvermarten.com

Membership: (1 yr) Adult \$12.00 (New), \$7.00 (Renew) - H/W \$16.00 (New), \$10.00 (Renew) - Youth \$9.00 (New), \$5.00 (Renew) - Family (New) \$3.00 per youth plus H/W fee, (Renew) \$2.00 per youth plus H/W fee; (3 yr) Adult \$21.00 (New), \$18.00 (Renew) - H/W \$30.00 (New), \$25.00 (Renew) - Youth \$15.00 (New), \$12.00 (Renew) - Family (New) \$6.00 per youth plus H/W fee, (Renew) \$5.00 per youth plus H/W fee - Foreign add \$5.00 per membership per year surcharge -Sanction Fee: Open \$8.00 - Youth \$4.00.

Youth Meat Pen Rabbits

Judge –

Secretary – Linda Allan – Brenham, Texas

Begin Arrival & Show:	Wednesday	March 16	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Wednesday	March 16	10 a.m.
Show	Wednesday	March 16	10 a.m.
Awards:	Friday	March 18	2 p.m.
Begin Release:	Friday	March 18	3 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Friday	March 18	6 p.m.

**All other pens release after awards ceremony.*

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Youth Meat Pen Rabbit Show

1. **Show Sanctioning:** This show is officially sanctioned by the American Rabbit Breeders Association (ARBA) and is conducted in accordance with its latest revised rules. An ARBA Registrar will be present at the show. Times the Registrar will be available for registering rabbits will be posted in the rabbit show area.
2. **Sanctioned Breeds:** Californian, Champagne D'Argent, Cinnamon, Creme D'Argent, New Zealand, Palomino, Satin
3. **Entry Requirements:** Two meat pens of three rabbits each per exhibitor, **no alternates**, will be accepted. Only one meat pen per exhibitor will have the opportunity to advance to the top 30. In the event that a judge selects two meat pens from the same exhibitor to be placed in the top 30, only the higher placing pen from that exhibitor becomes eligible to be awarded a top 30 premium. Rabbits will all be of the same breed and variety, but do not have to come from the same litter. Rabbit age limit is 10 weeks. Minimum weight is three pounds for each rabbit and maximum weight is five pounds for each rabbit.
4. **Exhibitor Eligibility:** Exhibitor must be enrolled in a public or private, elementary, or secondary school in Texas. Exhibitor must be at least in the third grade or 8 years old, but not older than 18 years old on the day that judging begins. Exhibitor must be a legal Texas resident.
5. **Animal Ownership:** Exhibitor must own the doe or does from which they pick their meat pens. Random checks will be made regarding doe and babies and both the doe and babies must be available for random checks through the show date. Rabbits' location must be filled out on the entry application if rabbits are housed at a location other than the exhibitor's residence and/or if exhibitors mailing address is a post office box.
6. **Breeding Date:** Breeding date is **Dec. 5, 2010 for the 2011 Show.**
7. **Check-In and Judging:** Animals will be inspected at check-in. Exhibitors must remove animals from the Show grounds that are showing symptoms of any contagious disease at check-in or later in the Show. Rabbits will be checked for disqualifications and continue through the judging process. Only the top 30 meat pens will be cooped, and they will be cooped for the duration of the Youth Rabbit Show.
8. **Identification:** Rabbits must have a permanent tattoo in the left ear and the Houston Livestock Show special tattoo in the right ear. The Houston Livestock Show tattoo will be placed in the rabbit's right ear on **Feb. 12, 2011**, by a Houston Livestock Show committee person. Exhibitor will be notified of the time and location for this tattooing. Tentative tattoo locations include: Belton, Ft. Worth, Henderson, Houston and San Antonio. Locations are subject to change.
9. **Care of Animals:** Exhibitors must bring water and feed containers. Exhibitors are responsible for feeding and watering their own rabbits.
10. **Show Competition:** Animals in locked cages at show time will not be shown.
11. **Sales:** Exhibitors are not allowed to sell animals unless the animals are entered in the show. Exhibitors selling rabbits must obtain a release from Rabbit Show Committee for all animals sold before removing the animals from the Show grounds. Rabbits not entered in the Show are not allowed on Show grounds. "For Sale" signs are not allowed.
12. **Check-Out:** Only the exhibitor may check-out his or her rabbits. Animals left after check-out time will forfeit awards, ribbons, and money & the exhibitor will not be allowed to show the following year.



Youth Meat Pen Rabbit Show

Youth Meat Pen Rabbit Show Premium Schedule

Minimum premium money from the Houston Livestock Show and
Rodeo Rabbit Committee will be presented as follows:

Grand Champion Meat Pen.....	\$5,000
Reserve Champion Meat Pen.....	\$3,000

Junior Show Rules and Regulations

Preamble:

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo (the "Show") is organized for charitable, educational and scientific purposes. In accordance with the Bylaws of the Show, a livestock exposition shall be held once each year to encourage the improvement of the breeding and raising of cattle, swine, sheep, goats, horses, mules, poultry and other livestock and farm products for the benefit of the public. The Bylaws also state that the Show may promote and maintain educational functions. In keeping with these same Bylaws, the purpose of the Junior Livestock Division of the Houston Livestock Show shall be to encourage and promote the educational aspects of livestock projects conducted only by junior exhibitors under the proper supervision and direction of either an Agricultural Science Teacher (AST) or a County Extension Agent (CEA).

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo recognizes that the Texas Cooperative Extension, through its 4-H Clubs, and the Texas Education Agency, through the FFA Chapters, provide a valuable service to the public in educating Texas school students in the principles of successful raising and breeding of livestock. In order to encourage participation in the 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters throughout the state, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo includes as a part of its annual livestock exhibition the Junior Livestock Division which is a special exhibition for Texas 4-H Club and FFA members. The purpose of the Junior Livestock Division is to encourage participation in livestock projects conducted under the authority and supervision of all Agricultural Science Teachers (ASTs) or County Extension Agents (CEAs).

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo allows CEAs and ASTs in charge of 4-H Club or FFA Chapter livestock programs the opportunity to enter members which they believe have demonstrated exceptional interest and ability in the raising, caring and breeding of livestock, subject to these Special Rules. These Rules, however, are only prescribed as minimum requirements for participation in the Show, and are not intended to in any way limit the right of any CEA or AST, or the Texas Cooperative Extension or Texas Education Agency, to impose additional requirements as they may deem necessary regarding participation in the Junior Livestock Division.

The opportunity to enter 4-H Club and FFA Chapter members' projects in the Junior Livestock Division is only available to CEAs and ASTs supervising these livestock projects. In no event are these rules to be construed as making any offer or opportunity available to any 4-H Club or FFA Chapter member. In no event shall any CEA or AST be considered to be an agent of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo for any purpose. This preamble shall be considered to be a part of these Special Rules for the Junior Livestock Division, and all rules are to be interpreted in accordance with the purposes herein described.

REQUIRED

Each 4-H Club, FFA Chapter, Junior Exhibitor and Open Show Exhibitor must complete an IRS W-9 form and return it with entry. Premium payouts will not be made without a completed W-9 form.

- 1. General Rules:** All entries in this department are subject to the General Rules and Regulations published in this book, to these Special Junior Show Rules and to the Special Rules listed for each breed show. In the event of any conflict between these Special Junior Show Rules and the General Rules, the provisions of these Special Junior Show Rules shall govern.
- 2. Junior Show Participation:** Participation in the Junior Livestock Division is limited to Texas resident students, who are members of a Texas 4-H Club or FFA Chapter, and who have continuously owned and personally fed and cared for their animals under the direct supervision of a CEA or AST. Exhibitors must be enrolled in, and attending, public or private elementary or secondary schools in Texas. Students must be between the ages of 9 and 18 on or before Aug. 31, 2010. Exception: students in the 3rd grade become eligible on their 8th birthday. Each FFA Chapter and 4-H Club must be a member in good standing with its state and National affiliates.
- 3. Dual Show Entry:** Animals entered in the Junior Dairy Show, Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show, and the Junior Breeding Sheep Show may also enter the Open Show.
- 4. Entries:** Entries must be made by the CEAs and ASTs with one payment for total fees drawn on an account of the 4-H Club or FFA Chapter and made payable to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Entries must be accompanied by the online entry summary sheet, a check for all fees paid to the Show from the 4-H Club or FFA Chapter, a signed and notarized release of liability and indemnity for each exhibitor, W-9 form for each exhibitor, and W-9 form for the 4-H Club or FFA Chapter, and copies of junior breeding beef heifer registration papers for all junior heifers entered. Do not combine applications from more than one 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.

5. **Late Entries:** Junior Show entries submitted between midnight, Dec. 1 and on or before midnight, Dec. 15 will be accepted with a \$250 late fee per club/chapter. Entries submitted after midnight, Dec. 16 until closing of check-in for individual species will automatically be charged a \$500 extra late fee per entry submitted by mail or in person. (Payment in the form of cash, check, or credit card must be received prior to the close of check-in for the respective specie). Late entries are not guaranteed to be in pre-Show press releases.
6. **Individual Exhibitors:** Entry applications will not be accepted from individual junior exhibitors.
7. **Partnership Entries:** Partnership entries will not be accepted in market classes (steers, lambs, barrows, goats and poultry) and in the junior breeding beef heifer show.
8. **Maximum Number of Entries:** For each individual junior exhibitor within the 4-H Club or FFA Chapter, the CEAs and ASTs may enter a maximum of the following animals in the Junior Shows:

one market steer	one beef heifer
two dairy heifers	one pen of commercial steers
one market barrow	three breeding gilts
one market lamb	three individual breeding sheep per class
one group of sheep per group class	one market wether goat
one turkey	one pen of broilers

The use of 4-H membership and FFA membership to attempt to enter more than the maximum number of entries per junior exhibitor in each department will result in disqualification of each individual junior exhibitor involved.

9. **Club or Chapter Entries:** Entries made in the name of FFA chapters or 4-H clubs are not eligible in the Junior Livestock Show except for class 19 of the Junior Dairy Show, the Agricultural Mechanics Show and Judging Contests.
10. **Grounds Passes:** One per exhibitor.
11. **Vehicle Permits:** Complimentary vehicle permits are offered with the following limitations:

Junior Show – vehicle permits will be based on the number of exhibitors per county or chapter per week as follows:

Number of Exhibitors	Permits Allowed
1 - 10	4
11 - 15	6
16 - 20	8
21 - 25	10
26 - 30	12
31 - 50	20
51 & more	30

Permit must be displayed from rear view mirror and is transferable to other vehicles. Permits do not guarantee a parking space. Vehicle permits can not be purchased and are not distributed during the Show, they must be obtained in advance.

12. **Ineligible Exhibitors:** 4-H and FFA members are considered to be eligible by the Houston Livestock Show for participation in the Junior Livestock Show at the time entry applications are received from the AST/CEA. Any AST/CEA who has a member who becomes ineligible to participate, for any reason, must provide written and signed notification to the appropriate Superintendent of the Livestock Show at least 24 hours prior to the commencement of any Junior Show activity in which the ineligible exhibitor was to participate. If an exhibitor is determined ineligible, then the entry is ineligible.
13. **Foreign Exchange Students:** Non-United States citizens and Foreign Exchange students are ineligible to compete in the Junior Livestock Division. Such individuals are eligible to participate in the Open Livestock Show.
14. **Past Winners:** Junior exhibitors who have had a Grand Champion steer, lamb, goat, barrow, pen of broilers or turkey at any prior Houston Livestock Show are not eligible to compete in the division in which their prior Grand Champion was exhibited. The winner of a previous Junior Commercial Steer Feeding & Management Show cannot compete in that show.
15. **Substitute Exhibitor:** Junior Show animals must be exhibited and sold by its owner. EXCEPTION: A substitute exhibitor may be used under the following conditions:

- a. When an exhibitor has more than one entry in the Junior Show and cannot be present to show their animal in another department
- b. When an exhibitor is sick **(must be accompanied by a signed statement from a doctor)**
- c. Approved school activities, TAKS test, etc. **(must be accompanied by a signed statement from a school official on school letterhead)**

When one of the above conditions exists, the department superintendent may decide whether a substitute showman will be allowed. If a substitute is allowed by the department superintendent, the substitute showman must be from the same county as the original exhibitor. The substitute exhibitor also must meet all requirements of a Junior Livestock Show exhibitor. If only one exhibitor is present from a county, the department superintendent can approve a substitute from another county. An exhibitor may be used as a substitute only one time per department. An official substitute exhibitor form must be filled out and turned in to department superintendent until closing of check-in. The department superintendent may also require positive identification of the substitute.

16. Ownership Dates: The feeding and fitting period shall begin on or before:

June 30..... Junior Market Steers
 Sept. 30..... Junior Commercial Steers
 Oct. 1..... Junior Breeding Sheep
 Oct. 31 Junior Market Lambs
 Nov. 1..... Junior Breeding Beef
 Nov. 1..... Junior Dairy Heifers
 Oct. 31..... Junior Market Goats
 Nov. 30..... Junior Market Barrows
 Dec. 1..... Junior Breeding Gilts

17. Ownership Certification/Fitting: Exhibitors must own their animals at the beginning of and throughout the feeding period. Exhibitor must feed, care for and exhibit animals entered without any aid or assistance during the entire feeding period, except from CEA or AST or from other junior exhibitors and leaders within their county. After validation, any animal which has sold at a private or public auction or by private treaty is not eligible for the Junior Show. CEAs and ASTs desiring to enter Junior Livestock Show exhibitors must sign a certification on the entry application that the animal was raised under his or her supervision and was purchased, raised and otherwise prepared for show exclusively by the entrant in accordance with the rules of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

18. Refunds: Entry fees will not be refunded after Dec. 1.

19. Stall Space: Animals entered in the Junior Livestock Show must be stalled or penned in the special divisions set aside for this purpose. Stall space is not guaranteed for each entry fee paid in the cattle shows. After the animals have been stalled, they shall not be moved to any other part of the barn except on the consent of either the Livestock Show management or of the superintendent of the department. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to keep pens or stalls clean and in a presentable condition. "For Sale" signs will not be permitted on or adjacent to any animal entered in the Show.

20. Pre-Stalling: Junior Market Lambs and Goat are pre-stalled. CEAs and ASTs must complete and return the pre-stalling request form, located under both the Junior Market Lamb and Junior Market Goat sections of the Exhibitor Handbook.

21. Stalling Upon Arrival: Steers, Heifers and Barrows are stalled upon arrival. To pen together at Houston, groups MUST arrive together at the staging area. No assignments will be made for animals in trailers or vehicles that are coming later. Animals will be counted on the trailers or vehicles. Please see special rules of each specie for staging times.

22. Hay/Feed: Hay and feed may be purchased through the Feed Store Committee. Exhibitors who wish to bring their own hay, grain, mixtures or supplements will be permitted to do so. Exhibitors are requested to store no more than two days' supply of feed or hay in the barn at any time. Paid feed bills must be presented at the time releases are requested.

23. Certification Forms and Health Papers: Junior Show exhibitors are required to have a drug certification form signed by the following: (a) Junior Exhibitor; (b) Parent or Guardian; and (c) CEA or AST. The Drug Certification Form is on the reverse side of the entry application. No junior animal will be allowed to show without this certification form properly filled out and notarized. Health papers are not required on Junior Market Steers, Barrows, Lambs, Goats or Junior Commercial Steers. Health papers are required on Junior Breeding Beef Heifers, Junior Breeding Gilts, and Junior Breeding Sheep.

24. Drug Certification Agreement: Exhibitor and parent/guardian certify that the entry has not been administered or that the exhibitor and parent/guardian does not have any knowledge that this entry has received any substance not approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and/or the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for food animals. Furthermore, the exhibitor and parent/guardian certifies that this entry is free and clear of **ALL** drug and chemical residue withdrawal and elimination time periods.

25. Animal/Exhibitor Disqualification: To foster fair competition, to provide a level playing field and to protect the safety of food, the showing of unethically fitted livestock, livestock of any 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 that is FDA approved for its species is subject to disqualification if that animal tests positive for that drug upon arrival at Reliant Park. All animals must remain free and clear of all drug and chemical residues while on show 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 species
- use of injections
- 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. **Drenching:** Drench guns may not be used in any stall/pen, aisle or walkway. Stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method (by esophagus) is prohibited.
- c. **Over Age Animals:** Over age animals will be disqualified.
- d. **Unapproved Drug Use:** The showing of any animal that has been administered during its life 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 Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and/or the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) for slaughter animals including animals that may be destined for human consumption.
- e. **Approved Drug Use:** If an animal has been administered a drug that is FDA approved for its species and class, sufficient time must have passed so that the animal does not test positive for that drug upon arrival at Reliant Park. Animals must remain free and clear of all drug and chemical residues while on show grounds. 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.
- f. **Animal Inspection:** As condition for participation in the Show, exhibitor must agree to submit any animal entered by the exhibitor for inspection. Exhibitor agrees to have such animal submitted to any tests requested by the Show. Exhibitor also agrees that the opinion reached by the Show or its officials as to whether such animal is unethically fitted or over age shall be final and binding without recourse against the Show or any of its officers. Further, the Show specifically reserves the right to have tissue, blood or urine laboratory analysis made on any animal entered for competition. The conclusions reached by the laboratory shall be final and binding without recourse against the Show or any of its officers. 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 chemical may forfeit all rights and privileges to exhibit livestock in the future at the Show.
- g. **Unmanageable Animals:** The Show may disqualify any animal deemed unmanageable.
- h. **Nonadherence to Rules:** Any person found guilty of misrepresentation or not abiding by the Show rules will be disqualified and denied the privilege of showing in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
- i. **Emergency Treatment:** If an animal requires emergency treatment while on Show grounds, 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 Show veterinarian, but the official Show 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 Show Veterinarian, in agreement with Show Management, reserve the right to treat any animal if, in the opinion of the Official Show Veterinarian, it is in the best interest of the animal's health and well-being to be treated. If the Official Show Veterinarian administers treatment to an animal, and therefore uses any medication that does not meet the appropriate withdrawal and or elimination time, will be determined ineligible for competition.
- j. **Treatment Cost:** All treatment costs are the responsibility of the exhibitor.

26. Wholesome Meat Act: The USDA Wholesome Meat Act applies to all market livestock. Only animals eligible for immediate slaughter may be brought onto the grounds and exhibited:

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

The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will in no way be liable or responsible for the condition of carcasses or the sale price of the animal. In such cases, the exhibitor forfeits all rights to any and all proceeds including: Auction Price, Scholarships, Premium Awards, Market (Floor) Price and Special Awards.

27. Disqualification/Condemnation of Animal: “The Show practices a Zero Tolerance policy on all residue violations.”

The Show reserves the right to condemn and/or disqualify any animal, either live or slaughtered, found in violation of Rule 24 of the Junior Show Rules and Regulations listed in the handbook 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 Show.

28. Disclaimer of Warranties: The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo expressly disclaims any express or implied warranties (including merchantability), whether the goods or services are provided by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo or by others (such as drug testing). The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo does NOT provide security or guard services and is not responsible for the acts of third parties. Exhibitor and exhibitor’s parents and/or guardians agree that the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo shall be entitled to disqualify any exhibitor whose animal tests positive for any drug even if the exhibitor and the exhibitor’s parents or guardians 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 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo shall be entitled to disqualify the exhibitor. Disqualification results in forfeiture of all prize money and auction proceeds.

29. Rule Infraction Database: Each exhibitor understands and agrees that the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is entitled to report any and all rule infractions to the North American Livestock Show and Rodeo Managers Association (NALSARMA) Rule Infraction Database (RID). The exhibitor agrees that this information will be available to the membership of the NALSARMA.

30. Ultimate Care and Responsibility: By making entry into the Show the exhibitor agrees and understands that ultimate care and responsibility for an animal(s) rest solely upon the exhibitor until such time that possession of the animal is turned over to the commission agency or taken into custody by HLSR Show management.

31. Usage of Electronic Devices: Neither contestants or exhibitors may be in possession of electronic communication or storage devices at any time during judging or while in arena or in competition. These devices include but are not limited to cell phones, Palm Pilots, Blackberries, personal computers, pagers, radio device, such as a walkie talkie, and/or handless phone devices.

Rules Governing Junior Market Guaranteed Premiums and Livestock Auctions

1. **Release of Champions:** Exhibitors of Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion animals must remain with their animals until they are received by the commission company or taken into custody by HLSR Show management.
2. **Ribbon Winners:** All steers, lambs, barrows, goats and poultry that have won ribbons while competing in their individual classes will become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo in return for a Guaranteed Premium. A schedule of the Guaranteed Premiums is shown in the Special Rules section found in each Junior Market Animal Show. Animals will be sold by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo in their respective Junior Market Auctions.
3. **Sale Proceeds:** Junior Market Auction proceeds will be paid to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. All Guaranteed Premiums will be disbursed after the Livestock Show is completed.
4. **Withhold Guaranteed Premiums:** The Guaranteed Premium will be withheld if, after slaughter, the exhibitor's animal is found to have been tampered with or altered.
5. **Substitutions:** Separate auctions will be provided for market steers, lambs/goats, barrows and poultry. Superintendent's permission for someone other than exhibitor to take steers, lambs/goats, barrows or poultry through the auction must be obtained prior to the auction.
6. **Thank You Notes:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo requires Junior exhibitors with animals in the Junior Market Auctions to write thank you notes to the buyers. Buyer information will be sent to the AST/CEA along with a verification form. When thank you notes have been sent to the buyers, the verification form must be sent to the Livestock Office stating that all notes have been mailed. As checks are prepared, they will be mailed to the club or chapter.
7. **Decorations:** No decorations are allowed at the sale. The animal must be in a natural state.
8. **Animal Care:** It is the exhibitors' responsibility to take proper care of their animals until the animals are delivered onto the truck of the auction commission agent or taken into custody by HLSR Show management following the auction. Failure to do so will result in the forfeiture of Guaranteed Premiums. Only animals that have won ribbons while competing in their individual classes will be eligible for sale in their respective Junior market auctions. Exhibitors of sifted or non-ribbon Junior market animals will be charged a commission for animals sold while at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
9. **Placing Animals:** Animals are not considered to be placing animals until that animal has completed all stages of the particular show and has received a ribbon or rosette corresponding with the official placing by the judge.

Junior Market Steer

Department J

Superintendent: Dr. Chris Skaggs - College Station, Texas

Assistant Superintendents: Leon Kothmann - Arlington, Texas; David Waggoner - Hillsboro, Texas; and Nelson Hogg – Lubbock, Texas

Judge – Troy Thomas – Harrold, South Dakota

Begin Arrival:	Monday	March 7	4 a.m.
In Place:	Monday	March 7	4 p.m.
Turn in Weight/Sift/Classify:	Tuesday	March 8	8 a.m.
Show A:	Wednesday	March 9	8 a.m.
Show B:	Thursday	March 10	8 a.m.
Show C:	Friday	March 11	8 a.m.
Release Non-Placing Steers:	Friday	March 11	upon completion of show
All Remaining Junior Market	Friday	March 11	3 p.m.
Steers <u>MUST</u> re-locate to Orange, Purple, or Red Sections. <u>NO STEERS IN YELLOW AND BLUE SECTIONS BEYOND THIS TIME</u>			
Exhibitor Auction Meeting (mandatory for top 4 exhibitors in each class)	Friday	March 11	5:30 p.m.
Grand Champion Pre-judging	Friday	March 11	6p.m.
Grand Champion Selection:	Friday	March 11	8:30 p.m.
Auction:	Saturday	March 12	noon

Show A: Angus, Red Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Limousin, Chianina

Show B: Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Brahman, ABC, Shorthorn, Maine Anjou

Show C: AOB, Charolais, Simmental

Special Rules for Junior Market Steer Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Guaranteed Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo has established a Schedule of Guaranteed Premiums (shown below), which must be accepted by all Junior Market Show exhibitors who win ribbons in the individual classes. In return for the Guaranteed Premium, winning animals become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and will be sold at their respective Junior Market Auction. Placing steers will be branded as the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo before leaving the judging arena.

PLACE	GUARANTEE
Grand Champion Steer.....	\$75,000
Reserve Grand Champion Steer	40,000
Breed Champion Steers	15,000
Reserve Breed Champion Steers	12,500
Remaining First Place Steers	6,000
Remaining Second Place Steers	5,000
Third Place Steers	3,000
Fourth Place Steers.....	2,750
Fifth Place Steers	2,500
All Remaining Placing Steers	2,250

* Premiums are subject to handling fee.

* The top four exhibitors in each class are required to walk through the Auction.

* All exhibitors making the sale are **strongly** encouraged to attend the Auction.

* Only first through fourth placing exhibitors from each class are required to attend the Auction meeting.

- Potential Maximum Payment and Additional Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo also has an established Schedule of Potential Maximum Payment amounts with regards to all Junior Market Auction bids. Amounts bid over the Potential Maximum Payment amounts will be transferred to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund. When the aggregate of amounts bid up to the Potential Maximum Payment amounts over the Guaranteed Premiums results in a positive total, this total will be called the Additional Premiums. Additional Premiums will be paid evenly to all eligible Junior Market Steer Show exhibitors.

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4. **Champions:** The first place steer of each class of each breed will compete for breed champion steer. Second place steers are required to be brought into the arena. After the champion steer of each breed is selected, the second place steer in the class that furnished the champion competes with the first place steer in the other classes of the breed for reserve champion steer.
5. **Stalling:** To stall together at Houston, groups MUST arrive together **at the staging area**. NO assignments will be made for Steers that are coming later. Steers will be counted on the trailers. **The Airport Boulevard staging area will remain open beginning on Sunday, March 7 for trailers to be staged.**
6. **Validation:** Steers must be validated in the Texas 4-H and FFA Steer Validation Program. Show Management will make the final decision regarding any potential disqualification.
7. **Classes:** Classes will be broken based on number of steers classified into a breed, according to the following:

35 or less steers	2 classes
36 to 150 steers	3 classes
150 to 200 steers	4 classes
201 - 250 steers	5 classes
251 and greater steers	6 classes
8. **Weight:** Steers must weigh a minimum 1,000 pounds.
 - a.) Exhibitors must declare animal weight and breed at the time they Sift and Classify. The weight listed on the Weight and Breed Declaration Card will become that animal's official declared weight to be used for weigh back and selling purposes. Exhibitors must complete the Weight and Breed Declaration Card to include declared weight, state validation tag number, and breed designation.
 - b.) After judging of each class is completed, all placing steers will be weighed before leaving the ring. Any steer weighing less than 95 percent or more than 105 percent of its official declared weight will be disqualified. Steers showing more than normal fill, as determined at weighing time, will be sifted.
9. **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. Exhibitor numbers must be worn during classification, sifting and judging. If an animal is missing the Texas State Validation ear tag upon arrival, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the Superintendent immediately upon arrival.
10. **Exhibitor Back Numbers:** During judging, exhibitors must wear the correct back number corresponding with the Show entry number.
11. **Clipping:** Prior to arrival at the Show, steers must be pre-clipped to no more than 1/4" of hair on any part of the body, except the tail switch, which may be ratted and balled or may be bobbed off. Only Scissors or cordless clippers may be used for touch-up prior to entering the arena for classification. Steers will be checked for hair length at the time of classification. Steers found in violation of this rule will be eliminated and removed. The exhibitor will be eliminated from competition for the current show in the steer division. **1/4" hair requirement is strictly enforced.**
12. **Grooming Material:** No grooming material of any kind is allowed.
13. **Hair Length:** Steers that leave the classification area will not be re-evaluated for hair length. The decision made is final.
14. **Steer Handling:** Steers that are unruly or require handling by more than one person will be disqualified. Nose leads are permitted during sifting or showing. Only Show officials will be allowed to assist exhibitors during sifting or judging.
15. **Previously Auctioned Animals:** Steers identified as sold at auction in any major show are ineligible.
16. **Nose Prints / DNA:** Any steer may be nose printed or DNA tested at the request of the superintendent and/or Show Management.
17. **Release:** Steers not qualified for the Premium auction will be released at the discretion of show officials.
18. **Classification:** The exhibitor must declare the breed to be entered on the Weight and Breed Declaration Card; however, final determination of breed classification will be made by classifiers appointed by the Show Management. Breed determination is based on visible steer characteristics only; there will be no registration papers, steer certificates or steer affidavits considered. There will be no breed changes at the time of judging. Any steer reporting for a class other than the class determined by official breed classification and declared weight will not be allowed to show. Upon exiting the main cattle arena, exhibitors will receive a printed receipt including their determined breed, declared weight, and animal identification. Once classes are posted, exhibitors will have two hours to report any incorrect information that is displayed to the show superintendent or show management.



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19. **Classifiers:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will have three classifiers who will determine the official breed classification of each steer. The judgment of classifiers is final and not subject to protest. The three classifiers are selected from recommendations from the following: one from the Breed Associations, one from a list furnished by the CEAs/ASTs, and one from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
20. **Horns:** Steers must be dehorned.
21. **Health Certificate:** None Required for 2011 Show.
22. **Placing Steers:** The top 4 steers from each class will walk through the auction ring and will be taken to Reliant Arena at an appointed time by show management. These steers must re-locate to Orange, Purple, or Red Sections and should not be stalled in Yellow & Blue Sections. All other placing steers must be received by the commission agency by 5 p.m. on the respective day of show. The exhibitor will be responsible for their project until the animal is received by the commission agency.
23. **Non-Placing Steers:** Exhibitors of non-placing steers have the option to sell their animals through the commission agent, but are responsible for all fees involved.

Classification Table

A maximum of 420 steers will be eligible for sale. The number of steers from each breed that make the sale will be based on the numbers that are classified into that breed (maximum number of 55/breed and a minimum of 8/breed).

The below is only an example or illustration of how the numbers were determined in 2010:

2010 HOUSTON LIVESTOCK SHOW AND RODEO STEER SHOW

BREED	ARRIVED	CLASS OUT	SIFTED	SHOWN	NO. OF PLACES	NO. OF CLASSES
Angus	103	48 ₁	1	54	5	3
Brahman	81	12 ₂	0	69	6	3
Brangus	75	21 ₃	0	54	5	3
Charolais	107	0	1	106	9	3
Chianina	270	1	0	269	9	6
Hereford	85	14 ₄	0	71	6	3
Limousin	141	6	0	135	12	3
Maine Anjou	147	0	0	147	13	3
P. Hereford	55	5	0	50	4	3
Red Angus	40	11	0	29	4	2
S. Gertrudis	89	18 ₅	1	70	6	3
Shorthorn	121	29	0	92	8	3
Simbrah	93	11 ₆	0	82	7	3
Simmental	130	33	0	97	8	3
AOB	156	0	0	295	9	6
ABC	143	18	0	125	11	3

Total	1836	3	1833	122
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*2470 head pre-entered (74.3% arrival; 71% in 2009)
3 sifted on hair

- ₁ 48 AOB
- ₂ 12 ABC
- ₃ 16 ABC, 5 AOB
- ₄ 14 AOB
- ₅ 11 ABC, 7 AOB
- ₆ 6 ABC, 5 AOB

Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Steers

The 16 Breed Champion steers will compete for the Grand Champion Steer of the Show. Reserve Breed Champion steers are required to be brought into the arena. After the Grand Champion Steer of the Show has been selected, the Reserve Champion Steer of the breed that furnished the Grand Champion Steer competes with the other Breed Champion steers for Reserve Grand Champion Steer of the Show.

Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Steers of the Show will be selected during the Rodeo performance in Reliant Stadium.

All Breed Champion and Reserve Champion Steers must be led into the arena. Exhibitors of Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Steers must care for animals until delivered to commission agency or taken into custody by HLSR Show management.

CLASSES

GRAND CHAMPION STEER OF SHOW

(Banner, Buckle & Trophy)

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STEER OF SHOW

(Banner, Buckle & Trophy)

Steer Classification Guidelines

Charolais:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of an animal that is at least 50% purebred Charolais
- White, yellow, gray, or silver
- Expression of diluter gene
- Painting or spotting less than 20%
- Skunk tail, line back, baldy

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Excessive painting or spotting
- Double Muscling
- Brindles
- Frail skeletal structure
- Light red color
- Refined narrow or stubby head
- Excessive dark pigmentation (eyes, ears, nose, and anus)
- Excessive dappling

Absolute Disqualifications:

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

Chianina:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit Chianina influence in head and skeleton
- Any shade of black, red, gray or yellow
- Brindles, baldies, blaze face and motleys

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Coarse joints or skeleton
- Excessive spotting above the underline

Absolute Disqualifications:

- If it appears to be a purebred of any other breed

Limousin:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of an animal that is at least 50% purebred Limousin
- Solid black, red, light red, charcoal black, yellow, blond
- Bald face
- Smooth joints and skeleton

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Coarse joints, skeleton and head
- Stocking legs
- Brindle
- Spotting above the underline
- Roans

Absolute Disqualifications:

- None

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Maine-Anjou:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of an animal that is at least 50% purebred Maine-Anjou
- Spotted, solid black or red
- White stocking legs, white underline and spotting above the underline and on the face
- Heavy skeletal structure

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Brindle
- Roan
- Diluter color pattern

Absolute Disqualifications:

- If it appears to be more than 50% of any other breed

Simmental:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of a purebred Simmental
- Larger, long head
- Larger ear, lower set
- Solid black, red, light red, smut, red and white, yellow and white, black and white
- Painting or spotting above the underline
- Stocking legs
- Bald, blaze or streak face
- Diluter color pattern

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Roans
- Skunk tail
- Double muscling
- 30% or more white above underline
- Diluter color pattern around the eyes and muzzle
- Monkey mouth

Absolute Disqualifications:

- Brindle

Simbrah:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of a purebred Simbrah
- A sheath score of 2 or greater
- A Bos indicus eye, ear, and head
- Stocking legs
- Bald, blaze or streak face
- Diluter color pattern
- Solid black, red, light red, gray, smut, yellow, or a combination of white with any of the previously listed colors

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- A sheath score of 1
- A Bos taurus head
- A Bos taurus ear
- A Bos taurus eye
- Mottled face
- Diluter color pattern around the eyes and muzzle

Absolute Disqualifications:

- A combination of Bos taurus head, ear, eye, and sheath
- Roans

Santa Gertrudis:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of an animal that is at least 50% purebred Santa Gertrudis
- Any color pattern
- Moderate crest, no defined hump
- Moderate dewlap development
- Moderate length of ear, slightly drooping and opens forward
- Sheath score of 2 to 5

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Sheath score of 5
- Excessive sloppiness and/or looseness of hide

Absolute Disqualifications:

- Absence of any visible Santa Gertrudis characteristics

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Brangus:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of a purebred Brangus
- Solid black
- Influence of a Bos indicus eye, ear, and head
- Slick neck, or evidence of a crest

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Scurs or slick spots
- Excessive pendulous sheath
- Inadequate Bos indicus head, eye, and ear characteristics

Absolute Disqualifications:

- Hard horns
- Dehorning scars
- White above the underline or in front of the navel
- White on the legs, feet or tail
- Brindles

Brahman:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of an animal that is at least 50% purebred Brahman
- A prominent hump beginning in the middle of the shoulder and going forward
- Any color or color pattern
- Bos Indicus ear, head, eye, and sheath

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- None

Absolute Disqualifications:

- A crest with the absence of a hump

ABC:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Any color pattern
- Progression of importance to include Bos indicus head, eye and ear of moderate length, slightly drooping and opens forward and down
- Crest or slick neck
- Sheath score of 2 or more

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Bos taurus Head
- Bos taurus short ear
- Bos taurus eye
- Sheath score of 1

Absolute Disqualifications:

- A combination of Bos taurus head, eye, and ear
- Inadequate Bos indicus head, eye, and ear characteristics

Angus:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of a purebred Angus
- Solid Black
- Polled

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Continental Breed type structure & head
- Bumps between the poll and the ear
- Birthmarks or white hair in the switch should be reviewed for the skin color
- Continental European type ear set

Absolute Disqualifications:

- White skin resulting in white hair
- Horns or Scurs
- Brindle
- Diluter color pattern
- Double muscling
- Dehorning scars

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Hereford:

Ideal Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of a purebred Hereford(Horned or Polled)
- Red body with white face, white underline, and white marked legs
- Feather neck

Acceptable Breed Characteristics: (In any combination may be discriminating)

- Dark red color
- Red neck
- Solid red or solid white ear, ear size and shape is questionable
- Excess white on legs
- Excess white above underline
- Excessive eye pigment
- Black hair in tail, ear, or on rear end of animal
- Black spotting/smut, or freckling on the nose
- Line back
- White above the switch in tail
- White across the rump above the twist

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Coarse joints, head or ribs
- Straight line white marking on legs
- White above 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

Absolute Disqualifiers:

- Diluter color pattern
- Brindles
- Double muscle
- Any color other than red or white

Red Angus:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

- Must exhibit physical characteristics of a purebred Red Angus
- English/British characteristics
- Solid red
- Black pigmentation in only two of three areas; nose, eyes, or anus
- A blonde, light red or mixed switch
- Black hair on the tail, muzzle, face, neck and shoulder

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Coarse joints or head
- Bumps between the poll and ear
- Solid white switch

Absolute Disqualifications:

- Horns or scurs
- White above the underline or above the navel
- White on the leg
- Black pigmentation evident in all three areas; nose, eyes, and anus
- Diluter color pattern
- Dehorning scars
- Solid white tail
- Double muscling

Shorthorns:

Acceptable Breed Characteristics:

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

Discriminatory Breed Characteristics:

- Motley or brockle face
- Orange or light red color
- Black nose pigment
- Straight line white marking across leg
- Coarse head
- Double muscling

Absolute Disqualifications:

- Diluter color pattern such as yellow or yellow roan
- Black, blue roans or grays
- Brindle

Junior Steer Carcass Contest

Superintendent –Dr. Jeff Savell, College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Dr. Davey Griffin, College Station, Texas

The first and second place steers in each class of each breed will be harvested for carcass information. These animals will be sold through the premium sale and slaughtered as a group.

MINIMUM CARCASS STANDARDS

1. Minimum and maximum hot carcass weight, 600 to 1,000 pounds, respectively.
2. Minimum fat thickness – .25 inches.
3. Minimum ribeye area – 11.0 square inches.
4. Maximum USDA Yield Grade – 3.5.
5. Maximum USDA maturity – A¹⁰⁰.
6. Minimum USDA marbling requirement – Slight⁰⁰.
7. Minimum USDA Quality Grade – Select⁰⁰.
8. "Dark Cutters," if severe enough, will be disqualified. (Severe dark cutting is defined as sufficient to result in at least one full-grade reduction in the USDA quality grade.)
9. Carcasses with excessive bruises and evidence of tampering or questionable injections will be disqualified.

Steers meeting these standards will be evaluated and placed 1st through 10th with the following moneys being paid:

Steer Carcass Contest Awards

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th -10th
\$500	\$400	\$300	\$200	\$100

1st place – belt buckle

Junior Market Lamb Show

Department M

Superintendent – Scott Durham - San Angelo, Texas

Assistant Superintendents – John Kearney - San Angelo, Texas; Miles Dabovitch - Lubbock, Texas; and Watt Wardlaw - San Antonio, Texas

Judge – Brad Angus – Joliet, Illinois

Begin Arrival:	Tuesday	March 8	4 a.m.
In Place By:	Tuesday	March 8	noon
Kiosk check-in open:	Tuesday	March 8	8 a.m.
Kiosk check-in closes:	Tuesday	March 8	2 p.m.
Opening Ceremonies	Wednesday	March 9	8 a.m.
Show A:	Wednesday	March 9	8:30 a.m.
Show B:	Thursday	March 10	8 a.m.
Exhibitor Auction Meeting:	Thursday	March 10	6:30 p.m.
(mandatory for top 3 exhibitors in each class)			
Grand Champion Selection:	Thursday	March 10	7:30 p.m.
Auction:	Friday	March 11	noon

Show A: Fine Wool, Fine Wool Cross, Southdown

Show B: Medium Wool

Special Rules for Junior Market Lamb Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Guaranteed Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo has established a Schedule of Guaranteed Premiums (shown below), which must be accepted by all Junior Market Show exhibitors who win ribbons in the individual classes. In return for the Guaranteed Premium, winning animals become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and will be sold at their respective Junior Market Auction.

PLACE..... GUARANTEE

Grand Champion Lamb	\$40,000
Reserve Grand Champion Lamb	25,000
Breed Champion Lambs.....	10,000
Reserve Breed Champion Lambs.....	7,500
First Place Lambs	5,000
Second Place Lambs.....	4,000
Third Place Lambs.....	3,000
Fourth Place Lambs.....	2,000
Fifth Place Lambs	1,500
Sixth Place Lambs	1,100
All Remaining Placing Lambs	1,000

*Premiums are subject to handling fee

*Top three exhibitors from each class are **required** to walk through the auction.

*All exhibitors making the sale are **strongly** encouraged to attend.

*Only first through third placing exhibitors from each class are required to attend the auction meeting.

- Potential Maximum Payment and Additional Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo also has an established schedule of Potential Maximum Payment amounts with regard to all Junior Market Auction bids. Amounts bid over the Potential Maximum Payment amounts will be transferred to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund. When the aggregate of amounts bid up to the Potential Maximum Payment over the Guaranteed Payments results in a positive total, this total will be called the Additional Premiums. Additional Premiums will be paid evenly to all eligible Junior Market Show exhibitors.

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4. **Validation:** Lambs must be validated in the Texas 4-H and FFA Lamb Validation Program. Show Management will make the final decision regarding any potential disqualification. Animals that need to be retagged may do so between 7 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 8, 2011 in the East Arena of the Reliant Center.

5. **Self Check – In –** In addition to completing weight and breed declaration cards, ASTs, CEAs, parents or exhibitors will be responsible for checking animals in on one of the kiosks located at the East Arena of Reliant Center. When checking in, AST's, CEA's, parents or exhibitors will scan the independent bar code located on each of the weight and breed declaration cards.



Once logged on to the kiosk, the individual checking in will use the touch screen to enter the following information for each entry being checked in:

- a) The last 5 digits of the animal's state validation tag number
- b) The animal's declared weight
- c) The animal's declared breed

Printed Receipts: After all information has been entered, the kiosk will generate a receipt for your confirmation. It is the responsibility of the individual checking-in to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct prior to leaving the East Arena. If there is a problem with the confirmation receipt, a Livestock Committee volunteer will be available to provide assistance.

Once check-in is complete and the individual checking in has left the East Arena, changes will not be allowed.

Exhibitors should retain receipts throughout the Show. Any discrepancies with class postings will be resolved using the information on the receipt.

Weight and Breed Declaration Cards: The information on the weight and breed declaration cards must match the information that is entered in the kiosk. In the event of a wide spread technical failure as determined by show management, information on the weight and breed declaration cards will be used to break classes. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that the information on the weight and breed declaration cards matches what is entered in the kiosk and that weight and breed declaration cards are deposited at the tables located at the arena exit. Weight and breed declaration cards must be deposited at the tables before the exhibitor exits the arena during check-in.

6. **Weight Breaks:** Superintendents will break classes once check-in is complete. There will be no preset weight breaks. Exhibitors that do not check-in at the kiosk prior to 2 p.m. on March 8, 2011 are ineligible. Southdown lambs must weigh a minimum of 90 pounds. Other lambs must weigh a minimum of 100 pounds.
 - a. Exhibitors must have check-in completed by 2:00p.m. on Tuesday, March 8, 2011. The weight submitted at check-in will become that animal's official declared weight to be used for weigh back and official selling purposes. **It is the Exhibitor's responsibility to ensure weight and breed declaration cards are deposited upon completion of the kiosk check-in.**
 - b. During judging, all lambs pulled for classification (Fine Wool, Fine Wool Cross, and Southdown) or judging (Medium Wools) will be weighed. **Any lamb that weighs more than 5 pounds above its official declared weight will be disqualified. Any lamb weighing less than 90 pounds (Southdown) or 100 pounds (Other lambs), will be disqualified.** While inside the judging arena, lambs shall not be filled or altered in any way.
 - c. First and second place class winners will be re-weighed prior to Breed Champion drives. Should a first or second place winner weigh out at this time, the animal will retain its placing but will be ineligible to compete for Breed Champion. If the first place class winner weighs out, the second place class winner will then advance to compete for Breed Champion honors. No other lambs will advance.
7. **Top 324:** Only wethers may be shown. Each breed will be divided into three weight groups for prejudging. A judge will select the top 324 lambs for premium sale. A distribution of numbers to compete for the 324 sale places are:

	Light	Medium	Heavy	Total
Fine Wool	18	18	18	54
Fine Wool Cross	21	21	21	63
Southdown	21	21	21	63
Medium Wool	(sell 18 in 8 classes)			144

8. **Ear Tags:** State validation tags will be used for 2011. Only validation tags will be allowed. All other tags must be removed prior to arrival.
9. **Exhibitor Back Numbers:** During judging, exhibitors must wear the correct back number corresponding with the Show entry number. If an animal is missing the Texas State Validation ear tag upon arrival, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the Superintendent immediately upon arrival.

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10. **Feeding:** All lambs must have been placed on feed by Oct. 31, and the feeding period shall continue until the opening day of Show.
11. **Clipping:** Lambs must be slick shorn and of uniform length from knee and hock up at time of arrival. There will be no shearing allowed on show grounds. Only hand shearers and cordless clippers may be used for touch ups.
12. **Scales:** Exhibitors are not allowed to bring portable scales into the building. Scales for weighing are furnished.
13. **Trim Tables:** No trim tables will be allowed on show grounds during the Junior Show.
14. **Grooming:** No grooming materials are allowed.
15. **Drench Guns:** Drench guns may not be used in any stall/pen, aisle or walkway. Stomach pumping, drenching tubes, or any other method (by esophagus) is prohibited.
16. **Terminal Show:** All entries arriving must be sold, including sifted, non-placing and ribbon-winning lambs, according to the Show procedure. Exhibitors will take proper care of all animals until the animals are delivered on the truck of the commission agent. Failure to do so will result in the forfeiture of guaranteed premiums. Exhibitors of non-placing animals will be responsible for a handling fee to be charged by the commission agent or taken into custody by HLSR Show management.
17. **Ownership:** Market animals do not become property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo until that Junior Market Show is complete.
18. **Equipment:** All feed, tack, and equipment must be stored above pens.
19. **Pre-Penning:** Junior market lambs and meat goats will be pre-penned at the discretion of the show management depending on number of entries and pen availability. County Extension Agents and Agricultural Science Teachers are asked to group counties and chapters when possible to facilitate the penning process. Pens will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis. **Penning requests will only be accepted from supervising Agricultural Science Teachers or County Extension Agents. Tack or lounging pens will not be assigned.** Counties/Chapters penning together are asked to submit a single request. Those clubs or chapters not requesting pre-penning will be assigned pens upon arrival at the show. An easy to use form is available for downloading at: <http://sanangelo.tamu.edu> and www.rodeohouston.com. Pre-penning requests may be mailed, e-mailed or faxed no later than February 15 to the following:

Scott Durham
7887 U S Hwy 87N
San Angelo, Texas 76901-9714
(325) 653-4576 phone
(325) 655-7791 FAX
e-mail: sdurham@ag.tamu.edu

All penning requests should include the following:

- Name of person making request, phone number, e-mail address, and postal address. The person making the request will be responsible for coordinating the group that is penning together.
 - A listing of all county 4-H clubs and FFA chapters being penned together and actual numbers of lambs or meat goats that will be exhibited for each. If all lambs or meat goats from 4-H clubs or FFA chapters are not penned together, the group coordinator will be responsible for making sure penning is correct at arrival.
 - Counties/chapters may request that market lambs and meat goats are penned together. Please indicate your preference on the request form. If penning separately, please complete a request form for each species.
 - Total number of market lambs or meat goats for penning group
20. **Classification:** Breed classification will be submitted to the kiosk self check-in which must be completed by 2 p.m. on March 8, 2011. The breed must be declared upon check-in; however, final determination of breed classification will be made by classifiers appointed by the Show Management.

21. Breed Classification Guidelines:

- I. Fine Wool Breed Characteristics
 - A. Acceptable breed characteristics
 1. Rambouillet, Delaine, Debouillet, or a cross between these breeds.
 2. Silky, white face.
 3. Silky ears, medium to moderate in size.
 4. Soft pelt.
 5. Yellow to white hooves (neutral).

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6. Black pads on hooves.
7. Nose should be neutral to pink in color.
8. May be polled or horned.

B. Discriminatory breed characteristics

1. Moderate amounts of brown or black spots in the skin and/or wool.
2. Moderate freckling or pigmented skin (brown or black) on the ears, eyes, and lips.
3. Black streaking in the hooves.
4. Black eyelashes.
5. Birthmarks.

C. Absolute disqualifications

1. Excessively coarse britch and/or harsh pelt.
2. Excessive coarse, chalky, white hair on the face, in the flanks, and/or down the front and/or rear legs.
3. Excessive brown or black spots in the skin and/or wool.
4. Excessive freckling or pigmented skin (brown or black) on the ears, eyes, and lips.
5. Brown or black spots in hairline above hooves.
6. Solid black hooves.
7. Black lambs.
8. Surgical alterations other than redocking.
9. Steep hip or tendency to show callipyge gene.

II. Fine Wool Cross Breed Characteristics

A. Acceptable breed characteristics

1. Must be a cross with evidence of at least 50% finewool breeding and the remaining percentage exhibiting predominance of medium wool breeding (Hampshire and/or Suffolk).
2. Soft pelt which is characteristic of ½ blood wool (60's-62's spinning count).
3. Face and ears should be soft and silky.
4. Mottling and/or some spotting on face and ears and on legs below the knees and hocks.
5. Wool must be present below the hocks on the rear legs; wool below the knees on the front legs is not necessary.
6. White, ring-eyed crosses are acceptable if pelt is acceptable.
7. Birth marks are acceptable.

B. Discriminatory breed characteristics

1. Solid brown face and ears with little to no mottling.
2. Excessive black or brown spotting in the skin above the knees and hocks.
3. Moderate amounts of colored fibers (black or brown) in the wool.

C. Absolute disqualifications

1. Excessive black or solid dark chocolate brown color on face, ears, and legs (including wool).
2. Excessively coarse britch and/or harsh pelt.
3. Excessive coarse, chalky, white hair on the face, in the flanks, and/or down the front and/or rear legs.
4. Total absence of wool on rear legs.
5. Black lambs.
6. Surgical alterations other than redocking.
7. Steep hip or tendency to show callipyge gene.

III. Southdown Breed Characteristics

A. Acceptable breed characteristics

1. Hair color on muzzle should be mouse colored, gray to brown.
2. Nostril pigmentation may be black to purplish-gray.
3. Muzzle should be broad; head of moderate length.
4. Ears of moderate length, covered with short hair or wool.
5. Black hoof color.
6. Birth marks are acceptable.

B. Discriminatory breed characteristics

1. Solid white color or dark chocolate color on muzzle.
2. Coarse, chalky, white hair around eyes extending to and including the muzzle.
3. Coarse hair in flank.
4. Coarse britch and/or harsh pelt.
5. Predominately pink nose with few black spots.
6. Long, narrow nose.
7. Excessive coloration on ears.
8. Excessive ear length.
9. Predominately slick ears.
10. Scurs.
11. Open poll on head.

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- 12. Striped hooves.
- 13. Black fibers in wool.
- C. Absolute disqualifications
 - 1. Speckled face or legs.
 - 2. Horns.
 - 3. White hooves.
 - 4. Intentional alteration of hair color or skin pigmentation.
 - 5. Total pink pigmentation of nostrils.
 - 6. Black lambs.
 - 7. Surgical alterations other than redocking.
 - 8. Steep hip or tendency to show callipyge gene.
- IV. Medium Wool Breed Characteristics - this class generally includes the Suffolk and Hampshire breeds, plus all lambs that do not fit in the finewool, finewool cross, or Southdown breed classes.

CLASSES

1. Fine Wool	Light Weight	
2. Fine Wool	Medium Weight	
3. Fine Wool	Heavy Weight	
4. FINE WOOL CHAMPION		(Banner & Buckle)
5. FINE WOOL RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner & Buckle)
6. Fine Wool Cross	Light Weight	
7. Fine Wool Cross	Medium Weight	
8. Fine Wool Cross	Heavy Weight	
9. FINE WOOL CROSS CHAMPION		(Banner & Buckle)
10. FINE WOOL CROSS RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner & Buckle)
11. Southdown	Light Weight	
12. Southdown	Medium Weight	
13. Southdown	Heavy Weight	
14. SOUTHDOWN CHAMPION		(Banner & Buckle)
15. SOUTHDOWN RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner & Buckle)
16. Medium Wool	Light Weight	
17. Medium Wool	Light Medium Weight	
18. Medium Wool	Heavy Light Weight	
19. Medium Wool	Medium Weight	
20. Medium Wool	Heavy Medium Weight	
21. Medium Wool	Light Heavy Weight	
22. Medium Wool	Medium Heavy Weight	
23. Medium Wool	Heavy Weight	
24. MEDIUM WOOL CHAMPION		(Banner & Buckle)
25. MEDIUM WOOL RESERVE CHAMPION		(Banner & Buckle)
26. GRAND CHAMPION LAMB OF SHOW		(Banner, Buckle & Trophy)
27. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION LAMB OF SHOW		(Banner, Buckle & Trophy)

Houston Livestock Show Junior Market Lamb and Goat Pre-penning Request Form

Requestor/Coordinator Name: _____
 Title: CEA _____ AST _____
 County Office or School Address: _____

 Phone Number: _____
 E-mail: _____

Penning market lambs and goats: _____ Separate _____ Together
 ** Total animal numbers: Market Lambs: _____ Market Goats: _____

Counties/Chapters Represented:	Market Lambs:	Market Goats:
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** Please submit actual market lamb or meat goat numbers expected at the Houston Livestock Show. Market lambs and goats may be penned together or separately. **If penned separately, please complete one form for each species. If penned together, all counties and/or chapters must pen alike.** All market lambs and goats will be penned in the East end of the Reliant Center.

Please mail, e-mail or FAX your request to:
 Scott Durham
 7887 U S Hwy. 87 N
 San Angelo, Texas 76901-9714
 (325) 653-4576 phone
 (325) 655-7791 FAX
 e-mail: sdurham@ag.tamu.edu

Ruth Hildebrand Lamb Scholarship

In memory of Mrs. Ruth Hildebrand, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will present a four year, \$16,000 college scholarship to an exhibitor in the Junior Market Lamb Show. This scholarship, originated by the Lamb Auction Committee, is given to honor the memory of Mrs. Hildebrand's unselfish personal devotion and contributions to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and to the youth who exhibit here.

Applicants must be Junior Market Lamb Show exhibitors participating in the 2011 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. The recipient will be announced following opening ceremonies of the Lamb & Goat Show on Wednesday, March 9, 2011.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States, of good character and meet all requirements as specified in the application, including their attending a Texas public high school, meeting academic and standardized test score minimums. Applicants must plan to attend a college or university within the state of Texas. Applicants are evaluated on the basis of academics, leadership/community involvement and financial need.

Applications with complete requirements may be obtained from the Agricultural Exhibits and Competition Office. Applications must be received by the Office of Educational Programs, Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, P. O. Box 20070, Houston, Texas 77225-0070 no later than close of business on February 19, 2011. Applicants will be interviewed by a scholarship selection committee in the Show offices at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, March 8, 2011.

Junior Lamb Carcass Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Jeff Savell - College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Ray R. Riley - College Station, Texas

The first and second place lambs in each class of each breed will be slaughtered for carcass information. These animals will be sold through the premium sale and slaughtered as a group.

MINIMUM CARCASS STANDARDS

1. Minimum and maximum for carcass weight, 45 to 85 pounds, respectively.
2. Minimum and maximum adjusted fat thickness at the 12th rib, .10 inches to .25 inches, respectively.
3. Maximum USDA Yield Grade, 2.9. The USDA Yield Grade will be determined according to USDA (1994) grading standards. $\text{USDA Yield Grade} = 0.4 + (10 \times \text{adjusted fat thickness, inches})$
4. Estimated percent boneless, closely trimmed retail cuts (%BCTRC) from the leg, loin, rack, and shoulder is used in ranking.

Prediction Equation: $\%BCTRC = 49.936 - (.0848 \times \text{hot carcass weight, pounds})$
- $(4.376 \times \text{adjusted fat thickness, 12th rib, inches})$
- $(3.530 \times \text{body wall thickness, inches})$
+ $(2.456 \times \text{ribeye area, square inches})$.

5. Carcass must be of lamb maturity.
6. Minimum USDA Quality grade must be Choice-minus.
7. Carcass shall be free of serious bruises ("old", not recent), free of injection sites on the more valuable carcass parts - leg, loin, rack and shoulder (neck excluded) - and free of any evidence of surgical altering of the live lamb.

Lambs achieving the above standards will be evaluated and placed 1st through 10th and the following awards will be given.

Lamb Carcass Contest Awards

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th -10th
\$500	\$400	\$300	\$200	\$100

1st place – belt buckle

Junior Market Goat Show

Department X

Superintendent – Marvin Ensor - San Angelo, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Parks Tucker – San Angelo, Texas

Judge – Reid Stultz – San Angelo, Texas

Begin Arrival:	Tuesday	March 8	4 a.m.
In Place By:	Tuesday	March 8	noon
Kiosk check-in opens:	Tuesday	March 8	8 a.m.
Kiosk check-in closes:	Tuesday	March 8	2 p.m.
Opening Ceremonies	Wednesday	March 9	8 a.m.
Show (Divisions I & II):	Wednesday	March 9	8:30 a.m.
Show (Divisions III & IV):	Thursday	March 10	8 a.m.
Exhibitor Auction Meeting:	Thursday	March 10	6:30 p.m.
(mandatory for top 3 exhibitors in each class)			
Grand Champion Selection:	Thursday	March 10	7:30 p.m.
Auction:	Friday	March 11	noon

Special Rules for Junior Market Goat Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listing in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Guaranteed Payments:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo has established a schedule of Guaranteed Payments (shown below), which must be accepted by all Junior Market Show exhibitors who win ribbons in the individual classes. In return for the Guaranteed Payment, winning animals become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and will be sold at their respective Junior Market Auction.

PLACE.....	GUARANTEE
Grand Champion Goat.....	\$30,000
Reserve Grand Champion Goat	\$20,000
Division Champions.....	\$10,000
Reserve Division Champions.....	\$7,500
Remaining First Place Goats	\$5,000
Remaining Second Place Goats.....	\$4,000
Third Place Goats.....	\$3,000
Fourth Place Goats.....	\$2,000
Fifth Place Goats	\$1,500
Sixth Place Goats	\$1,100
All remaining places	\$1,000

- * Premiums are subject to handling fee.
- * The top three exhibitors from each class are **required** to walk through the auction.
- * Remaining exhibitors are **strongly** encouraged to attend the auction.
- * Only first through third placing exhibitors from each class are required to attend the auction meeting.

- Potential Maximum Payment and Additional Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo also has an established schedule of Potential Maximum Payment amounts with regard to all Junior Market Auction bids. Amounts bid over the Potential Maximum Payment amounts will be transferred to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund. When the aggregate of amounts bid up to the Potential Maximum Payment over the Guaranteed Payments results in a positive total, this total will be called the Additional Premiums. Additional Premiums will be paid evenly to all eligible Junior Market Show exhibitors.
- Validation:** Market Goats must be validated in the Texas 4-H and FFA Validation Program. Show Management will make the final decision regarding any potential disqualification. Animals that need to be retagged may do so between 7 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 8, 2011 in the East Arena of the Reliant Center.
- Self Check – In:** In addition to completing weight declaration cards, ASTs, CEAs, parents or exhibitors will be responsible for checking animals in on one of the kiosks located at the East Arena of Reliant Center. When checking in, AST's, CEA's, parents or exhibitors will scan the independent bar code located on each of the weight and breed declaration cards.



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Once logged on to the kiosk, the individual checking in will use the touch screen to enter the following information for each entry being checked in:

- a) The last 5 digits of the animal's state validation tag number
- b) The animal's declared weight

Printed Receipts: After all information has been entered, the kiosk will generate a receipt for your confirmation. It is the responsibility of the individual checking-in to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct prior to leaving the East Arena. If there is a problem with the confirmation receipt, a Livestock Committee volunteer will be available to provide assistance.

Once check-in is complete and the individual checking in has left the East Arena, changes will not be allowed. Exhibitors should retain receipts throughout the Show. Any discrepancies with class postings will be resolved using the information on the receipt.

Weight Declaration Cards: The information on the weight declaration cards must match the information that is entered in the kiosk. In the event of a wide spread technical failure as determined by show management, information on the weight and breed declaration cards will be used to break classes. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that the information on the weight declaration cards matches what is entered in the kiosk and that weight declaration cards at the tables located at the arena exit. Weight and breed declaration cards must be deposited at the tables before the exhibitor exits the arena during check-in.

6. **Weight Breaks:** Superintendents will break classes once check-in is complete. There will be no preset weight breaks. Exhibitors that do not check-in at the kiosk prior to 2 p.m on March 8, 2011 are ineligible. Goats must weigh between 65 and 115 pounds.
 - a. Exhibitors must have check-in completed by 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 8, 2011. The weight submitted at check-in will become that animal's official declared weight to be used for weigh back and official selling purposes. It is the Exhibitor's responsibility to ensure Weight Declaration Cards are deposited upon completion of the kiosk at check-in.
 - b. All market goats pulled for placing considerations will be weighed back. -. **Any goat that weighs more than 4 pounds above its official declared weight will be disqualified.** (Goats can weigh 119 pounds at weigh back if their check-in weight was the maximum allowed weight or 115 pounds.) **Any goat weighing less than 65 pounds at time of weigh back will be disqualified.** While inside the judging arena, animals shall not be filled or altered in any way.
 - c. First and second place class winners will be re-weighed prior to Division Champion drives. Should a first or second place winner weigh out at this time, the animal will retain its placing but will be ineligible to compete for Division Champion. If the first place class winner weighs out, the second place class winner will then advance to compete for Division Champion honors. No other goats will advance.
7. **Top 144:** Only wethers may be shown. Goats will be divided into twelve classes. The top twelve goats in each class will qualify for sale.
4. **Ear Tags:** State validation tags will be used for 2011. 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 a Superintendent immediately upon arrival.
9. **Exhibitor Back Numbers:** During judging, exhibitors must wear the correct back number corresponding with the Show entry number.
10. **Horns:** If horned, the horns must be tipped (not less than the diameter of a dime at the end).
11. **Clipping:** Goats must be slick shorn and of **uniform** length from the knee and hock up prior to arrival. "Blocking" or fitting in an attempt to alter or enhance a goats appearance is not allowed. There will be no shearing allowed on show grounds. Only hand shearers and cordless clippers may be used for touch ups.
12. **Grooming:** No grooming materials are allowed.
13. **Drench Guns:** Drench guns may not be used in any stall/pen, aisle or walkway. Stomach pumping, drenching tubes, or any other method (by esophagus) is prohibited.
14. **Pens:** Exhibitors will be asked to share pens with other exhibitors. Exhibitors may wish to bring panels which can be used to subdivide existing pens.
15. **Terminal Show:** All entries arriving must be sold, including sifted, non-placing and ribbon goats, according to Show procedure. Exhibitors will take proper care of all animals until the animals are delivered on the truck of the commission agent. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of guaranteed premiums. Exhibitors of non-placing animals will be responsible for a handling fee to be charged by the commission agent.

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16. **Ownership:** Market animals do not become property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo until that Junior Market Show is complete.
17. **Equipment:** All feed, tack, and equipment must be stored above pens. No tables or blow dryers allowed.
18. **Pre-Penning:** Junior market lambs and meat goats will be pre-penned at the discretion of the show management depending on number of entries and pen availability. County Extension Agents and Agricultural Science Teachers are asked to group counties and chapters when possible to facilitate the penning process. Pens will be assigned on a first come first serve basis. **Penning requests will only be accepted from supervising Agricultural Science Teachers or County Extension Agents. Tack or lounging pens will not be assigned.** Counties/Chapters penning together are asked to submit a single request. Those clubs or chapters not requesting pre-penning will be assigned pens upon arrival at the show. An easy to use form is available for downloading at: <http://sanangelo.tamu.edu> or www.rodeohouston.com
Pre-penning requests may be mailed, e-mailed or faxed no later than Feb. 15 to the following:

Scott Durham
7887 U S Hwy 87N
San Angelo, Texas 76901-9714
(325) 653-4576 phone
(325) 655-7791 FAX
e-mail: sdurham@ag.tamu.edu

All penning requests should include the following:

- Name of person making request, phone number, e-mail address, and postal address. The person making the request will be responsible for coordinating the group that is penning together.
- A listing of all county 4-H clubs and FFA chapters being penned together and actual numbers of lambs or meat goats that will be exhibited for each. If all lambs or meat goats from 4-H clubs or FFA chapters are not penned together, the group coordinator will be responsible for making sure penning is correct at arrival.
- Counties/chapters may request that market lambs and meat goats are penned together. Please indicate your preference on the request form. If penning separately, please complete a request form for each species.
- Total number of market lambs or meat goats for penning group

CLASSES

Division I

1. Light Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
2. Light Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
3. Light Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
4. CHAMPION LIGHT WEIGHT MARKET GOAT (Banner & Buckle)
5. RESERVE CHAMPOIN LIGHT WEIGHT MARKET GOAT (Banner & Buckle)

Division II

6. Medium Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
7. Medium Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
8. Medium Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
9. CHAMPION MEDIUM WEIGHT MARKET GOAT (Banner & Buckle)
10. RESERVE CHAMPION MEDIUM WEIGHT MARKET GOAT (Banner & Buckle)

Division III

11. Light Heavy Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
12. Light Heavy Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
13. Light Heavy Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
14. CHAMPION LIGHT HEAVY WEIGHT MARKET GOAT (Banner & Buckle)
15. RESERVE CHAMPION LIGHT HEAVY WEIGHT MARKET GOAT (Banner & Buckle)

Division IV

16. Heavy Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
17. Heavy Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
18. Heavy Weight Market Goats (Trophy)
19. CHAMPION HEAVY WEIGHT MARKET GOAT (Banner & Buckle)
20. RESERVE CHAMPION HEAVY WEIGHT MARKET GOAT (Banner & Buckle)
21. GRAND CHAMPION MARKET GOAT OF SHOW (Banner, Buckle & Trophy)
22. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET GOAT OF SHOW (Banner, Buckle & Trophy)

Houston Livestock Show Junior Market Lamb and Goat Pre-penning Request Form

Requestor/Coordinator Name: _____
 Title: CEA _____ AST _____
 County Office or School Address: _____

 Phone Number: _____
 E-mail: _____

Penning market lambs and goats: _____ Separate _____ Together

** Total animal numbers: Market Lambs: _____ Market Goats: _____

Counties/Chapters Represented:	Market Lambs:	Market Goats:
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** Please submit actual market lamb or meat goat numbers expected at the Houston Livestock Show. Market lambs and goats may be penned together or separately. **If penned separately, please complete one form for each species. If penned together, all counties and/or chapters must pen alike.** All market lambs and goats will be penned in the East end of the Reliant Center.

Please mail, e-mail or FAX your request to:

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 San Angelo, Texas 76901-9714
 (325) 653-4576 phone
 (325) 655-7791 FAX
 e-mail: sdurham@ag.tamu.edu

Junior Market Goat Carcass Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Jeff Savell - College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendents – Dr. Dan Hale - College Station, Texas

The first and second place goats in each class will be slaughtered for carcass information.

MINIMUM CARCASS STANDARDS

1. Minimum and maximum for hot carcass weight, 35 to 70 pounds, respectively.
2. Minimum and maximum adjusted fat thickness at the 12th rib, .05 inches to .25 inches, respectively.
3. Estimated percent boneless, closely trimmed retail cuts (%BCTRC) from the leg, loin, rack, and shoulder is used in ranking.
Prediction Equation is:
$$\begin{aligned} \%BCTRC = & 49.936 - (.0848 \times \text{hot carcass weight, lbs.}) \\ & - (4.376 \times \text{adjusted 12th rib fat thickness, inches}) \\ & - (3.530 \times \text{body wall thickness, inches}) \\ & + (2.456 \times \text{ribeye area, square inches.}) \end{aligned}$$
4. Carcass must be youthful appearing.
5. Carcass shall be free of serious bruises ("old", not recent), free of injection sites on the more valuable carcass parts - leg, loin, rack and shoulder (neck excluded) and free of any evidence of surgical altering of the live goat.

Goats achieving the above standards will be evaluated and placed 1st through 10th with the following premium schedule being offered for those placing.

Goat Carcass Contest Awards

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th -10th
\$500	\$400	\$300	\$200	\$100

1st place – belt buckle

Junior Market Barrow Show

Department P

Superintendent – William Kulow, Needville, Texas

**Assistant Superintendent – Don Knotts – San Marcos, Texas; Terry Phillips - Dripping Springs, Texas;
Ted Ford - Stephenville, Texas; Dr. Jodi Sterle - College Station, Texas; and Stanley Young - Lubbock, Texas**

Judges – Grant Grebner – Washburn, Illinois

Brian Arnold – Lafayette, Illinois

Reliant Center, East Arena

Wave 1 (Yorkshire, Chester White & OPB, Other Crossbred)

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	4 a.m.
Kiosk check-in opens:	Saturday	March 12	8 a.m.
Must Be in Place By:	Saturday	March 12	11 a.m.
Kiosk check-in closes:	Saturday	March 12	2 p.m.
Show A:	Sunday	March 13	8 a.m.
<i>(Yorkshire, Chester White and OPB and Light Weight Other Crossbred)</i>			
Show B:	Monday	March 14	8 a.m.
<i>(Other Crossbred)</i>			

Wave 2 (Duroc, Berkshire, Hampshire, Spotted, Poland China, Dark Crossbred)

Begin Arrival:	Tuesday	March 15	4 a.m.
Kiosk check-in opens:	Tuesday	March 15	8 a.m.
Must Be In Place By:	Tuesday	March 15	11 a.m.
Kiosk check-in closes:	Tuesday	March 15	2 p.m.
Show C:	Wednesday	March 16	8 a.m.
<i>(Hampshire, Duroc and Berkshire)</i>			
Show D:	Thursday	March 17	8 a.m.
<i>(Poland China, Spotted and Dark Cross)</i>			

Exhibitor Auction Meeting:	Thursday	March 17	6:30 p.m.
<i>(mandatory for all first place exhibitors and higher)</i>			
Grand Champion Selection:	Thursday	March 17	7:30 p.m.
Auction:	Friday	March 18	noon

Special Rules for Junior Market Barrow Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Guaranteed Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo has established a schedule of Guaranteed Premiums (shown below), which must be accepted by all Junior Market Show exhibitors who win ribbons in the individual classes. In return for the Guaranteed Premium, winning animals become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and will be sold at their respective Junior Market Auction.

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>GUARANTEE</u>	<u>PLACE</u>	<u>GUARANTEE</u>
Grand Champion Barrow	\$40,000	First Place Barrows	\$1,750
Reserve Grand Champion Barrow	\$25,000	Second Place Barrows	\$1,500
Breed Champion Barrows	\$10,000	Third Place Barrows	\$1,250
Reserve Breed Champion Barrows	\$7,500	Fourth Place Barrows	\$1,000
Division Champion Barrows	\$4,000	Fifth Place Barrows	\$900
Reserve Division Champion Barrows	\$3,000	All Remaining Placing Barrows	\$800

Junior Market Barrow Show

*Premiums are subject to handling fee.

*All Breed and Division Champion and Reserve Champion Barrows and all 1st place barrows are **required** to walk through the auction.

*All others are **strongly** encouraged to attend the auction.

*Only first place exhibitors and higher are required to attend.

3. **Potential Maximum Payment and Additional Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo also has an established schedule of Potential Maximum Payment amounts with regard to all Junior Market Auction bids. Amounts bid over the Potential Maximum Payment amounts will be transferred to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund. When the aggregate of amounts bid up to the Potential Maximum Payment over the Guaranteed Payments results in a positive total, this total will be called the Additional Premiums. Additional Premiums will be paid evenly to all eligible Junior Market Show exhibitors.
4. **Validation:** Barrows must be validated in the Texas 4-H and FFA Swine Validation Program. Show Management will make the final decision regarding any potential disqualification.
5. **Entry:** Management will determine the maximum allowable number of barrow entries from any 4-H Club or FFA Chapter. Entry fees are not refundable after entry deadline.
6. **Self Check – In –** In addition to completing weight and breed declaration cards, ASTs, CEAs, parents or exhibitors will be responsible for checking animals in on one of the kiosks located at the East Arena of Reliant Center. When checking in, AST's, CEA's, parents or exhibitors will scan the independent bar code located on each of the weight and breed declaration cards. Once logged on to the kiosk, the individual checking in will use the touch screen to enter the following information for each entry being checked in:
 - a) The last 5 digits of the animal's state validation tag number
 - b) The animal's declared weight
 - c) The animal's declared breed



Printed Receipts: After all information has been entered, the kiosk will generate a receipt for your confirmation. It is the responsibility of the individual checking-in to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct prior to leaving the East Arena. If there is a problem with the confirmation receipt, a Livestock Committee volunteer will be available to provide assistance.

Once check-in is complete and the individual checking in has left the East Arena, changes will not be allowed.

Exhibitors should retain receipts throughout the Show. Any discrepancies with class postings will be resolved using the information on the receipt.

Weight Declaration Cards: The information on the weight declaration cards must match the information that is entered in the kiosk. In the event of a wide spread technical failure as determined by show management, information on the weight and breed declaration cards will be used to break classes. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that the information on the weight declaration cards matches what is entered in the kiosk and that weight declaration cards are deposited at the kiosk upon completion of check-in.

7. **Weight:** Barrows not weighing between 230 and 270 pounds will be sifted. Show management reserves the right to verify weight on any barrow while on Show grounds.
 - a. Exhibitors must have completed check-in by 2 p.m. the day of move-in. The weight submitted at check-in will become that animal's official declared weight to be used for weigh back and official selling purposes.
 - b. All barrows selected by the judge will be weighed before re-entering the arena. Barrows with weights more than 10 pounds below the official declared weight will be disqualified, sold on re-weigh weight, and a \$20 handling fee will be deducted from the floor check.
 - c. Any barrow that weighs more than **10 pounds** above its official declared weight will be disqualified.
 - d. First and second place or Division and Reserve Division Champions will be re-weighed prior to Division Champion and Breed Champion drives. Should a first place or Division Champion animal weigh out at this time, the animal will retain its placing but will be ineligible to compete for Breed or Division Champion. The second place or Division Reserve Champion will then advance to compete for Division or Breed Champion honors. No other barrows will advance.

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8. **Champion Drive:** Breed and Reserve Breed Champions will be re-weighed prior to showing for Grand Champion of the Show. If an animal weighs out at this time, the animal will retain its placing, but is ineligible to compete in the champion drive. If the Breed Champion weighs out, the Reserve Breed Champion will advance to compete for Grand Champion of the Show. No other barrows will advance.

Wave 1 Market Barrows (*Yorkshire, Chester White & OPB, and Other Crossbred*) weighing 15 lbs less than the minimum or more than the 15 pounds above the official declared weight will be disqualified.
Wave 2 Market Barrows (*Spotted, Poland China, Duroc, Berkshire, Hampshire, and Dark Crossbred*) weighing 10 lbs less than the minimum or more than 10lbs above the official declared weight will be disqualified.
9. **Stalling:** To pen together at Houston, groups must arrive together **at the staging area**. No assignments will be made for barrows that are coming later. Pigs will be counted on the trailers. **The Airport Boulevard staging area will remain open.**
10. **Ear Tags:** State Validation tags will be used for 2011. 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 a Superintendent immediately upon arrival.
11. **Exhibitor Back Numbers:** During judging, exhibitors must wear the correct back number corresponding with the Show entry number.
12. **Ear Notches:** All animals must be properly ear notched within 7 days of birth with a litter notch in the right ear and an individual notch in the left ear. Animals not properly notched in both ears will be disqualified.
13. **Scales:** Scales will be provided throughout the barn. No other scales are allowed.
14. **Grooming:** Only water may be applied to market barrows. No other grooming materials are allowed.
15. **Terminal Show:** All barrows arriving must be sold, including sifted, non-placing and ribbon-winning barrows, according to the Show procedure. Exhibitors will take proper care of all animals until the animals are delivered on the truck of the commission agent. Failure to do so will result in the forfeiture of guaranteed premiums. Exhibitors of non-placing animals will be responsible for a handling fee to be charged by the commission agent or taken into custody by HLSR Show management.
16. **Ownership:** Market animals do not become property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo until that Junior Market Show is complete.
17. **Bedding:** Exhibitors will be responsible for furnishing their own bedding materials. **NO CARPETING ALLOWED.**
18. **Classes:** Superintendents along with show management will break classes after check-in is complete. In the event of a large number of barrows with the same weight and same breed, the show may break these groups into multiple classes using another method other than weight. To more effectively break classes, weights may be grouped by a maximum of 3 lb spread (i.e. 267-270). Classes will then be broken based on a measure other than weight. Barrows must show in assigned class, no exceptions will be made to posted classes. Show Management reserves the right to shift classes within a breed.
19. **Classification:** Breed classification will be submitted to the self check-in which must be completed by 2 p.m. on the day of move-in. The breed must be declared upon check-in; however, final determination of breed classification will be made by classifiers appointed by the Show Management.
20. **Classifiers:** Classifiers will classify Junior Market barrows at show. Sifted and non-placing barrows will be taken directly to the commissioning company. The judgment of the sifting committee and classifiers is final and not subject to protest.

Classification Guidelines

ALL BREEDS: Animals shown in the purebred classes must be ear notched within 7 days of birth with a litter notch in the right ear and an individual notch in the left ear.

Wave 1 (Yorkshire, Chester White & OPB, Other Crossbred)

YORKSHIRE:

1. White in color and possesses Yorkshire breed character. Ears must be erect.
2. No hair color other than white.
3. No colored skin pigmentation larger than one U.S. minted silver dollar.
4. No masking above the eyes larger than a U.S. minted silver dollar.

CHESTER WHITE:

1. Possesses Chester White breed characteristics. (Ears must be down and medium size.)
2. Solid white in color, no color on the skin larger than a silver dollar and no colored hair.
3. 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.
4. Ears must be down and medium sized.

OTHER CROSSBRED:

Barrows of any coloration pattern or pigmentation are eligible for entry in this breed.

Crossbred class options, including Dark and Other Crosses, may be entered at the time weight cards are turned in; additionally, barrow may be reclassified into these breeds at the discretion of the official classifiers during the wave they were entered in only. Barrows classing out of the Dark Cross breed will be sifted.

Wave 2 (Spotted, Poland China, Duroc, Berkshire, Hampshire, Dark Crossbred)

SPOTTED:

1. Black and white in color.
2. Possesses Spotted breed character.
3. Ears cannot be erect.
4. No red tinted or sandy brown spots.
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 past existence of such ear tags are determined to be not permissible and are grounds for disqualification.

POLAND CHINA:

1. Possesses Poland China breed character.
2. Black with white face and switch (unless tail is docked). Three of the four legs must be white. May have occasional splash of white on body.
3. Tail docking is permissible, eliminating that white point.
4. Maximum of one black leg.
5. Ears down.
6. No evidence of belt formation.
7. No red or sandy hair and/or pigment.
8. No weighted ear tags or evidence of tampering with possible ear tags

DUROC:

1. Red in color and possesses Duroc breed character. (Ears down and medium size.)
2. Must not have any white hair located on the animal.
3. Must not have any black hair located on the animal.
4. Maximum of three black spots on the skin and none of these spots can be larger than two inches in diameter.
5. No shading or indication of a belt.

BERKSHIRE:

1. Black and white with erect ears exhibiting Berkshire breed character.
2. Must have white on face and tail, unless tail is docked. Three of four legs must be white.
3. No solid white or solid black face from the ears forward.
4. No solid black nose (rim of nose).
5. White is allowed on the ears, but neither ear can be entirely white.
6. One occasional splash of white may appear only on the lower one-half of the body.

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HAMPSHIRE:

1. Black in color with a white belt starting on the front leg. The belt may partially or totally encircle the body.
2. Must possess Hampshire breed character. (Ears 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.

DARK CROSSBRED:

Barrows with undiluted black, and/or undiluted red pigmentation, (i.e. not sandy, rusty, orange or blue) comprising at least 20% of total body area, shall be considered a Dark Cross. These barrows may be black or red belted, black patched or spotted, with Poland China, Hampshire, Berkshire, or Spot appearance. Barrows with only blue pigmentation are **NOT** considered Dark Crosses. Barrows that do not meet the breed classification requirements for Dark Crossbred will not be reclassified.

SHOW A CLASSES

<u>YORKSHIRE</u>			
<u>Class</u>	<u>Placing</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Placing</u>
1	1st through 10th	9	1st through 10th
2	1st through 10th	10	1st through 10th
3	1st through 10th	11	Heavy Weight Division Champion
4	1st through 10th	12	Heavy Weight Division Reserve Champion
5	Light Weight Division Champion	13	Champion Yorkshire
6	Light Weight Division Reserve Champion	14	Reserve Champion Yorkshire
7	1st through 10th		
8	1st through 10th		
<u>CHESTER WHITE & OPB</u>			
<u>Class</u>	<u>Placing</u>		
15	1 st through 10 th		
16	1 st through 10 th		
17	1 st through 10 th		
18	1 st through 10 th		
19	Champion Chester White & OPB		
20	Reserve Champion Chester White & OPB		

<u>OTHER CROSSBRED</u>			
<u>Class</u>	<u>Placing</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Placing</u>
21	1 st through 10 th	27	Light Weight Division Champion
22	1 st through 10 th	28	Light Weight Reserve Division Champion
23	1 st through 10 th		
24	1 st through 10 th		
25	1 st through 10 th		
26	1 st through 10 th		

SHOW B CLASSES

<u>OTHER CROSSBRED</u>			
<u>Class</u>	<u>Placing</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Placing</u>
29	1 st through 10 th	37	1 st through 10 th
30	1 st through 10 th	38	1 st through 10 th
31	1 st through 10 th	39	1 st through 10 th
32	1 st through 10 th	40	1 st through 10 th
33	1 st through 10 th	41	1 st through 10 th
34	1 st through 10 th	42	Heavy Weight Division Champion
35	Medium Weight Division Champion	43	Heavy Weight Division Reserve Champion
36	Medium Weight Division Reserve Champion	44	Champion Other Cross
		45	Reserve Champion Other Cross

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SHOW C CLASSES

<u>HAMPSHIRE</u>			
Class	Placing	Class	Placing
46	1st through 10th	57	Medium Weight Division Champion
47	1st through 10th	58	Medium Weight Reserve Division Champion
48	1st through 10th	59	1st through 10th
49	1st through 10th	60	1st through 10th
50	1st through 10th	61	1st through 10th
51	Light Weight Division Champion	62	1st through 10th
52	Light Weight Division Reserve Champion	63	Heavy Weight Division Champion
53	1st through 10th	64	Heavy Weight Division Reserve Champion
54	1st through 10th	65	Champion Hampshire
55	1st through 10th	66	Reserve Champion Hampshire
56	1st through 10th		
<u>DUROC</u>			
Class	Placing	Class	Placing
67	1 st through 11 th	74	1 st through 11 th
68	1 st through 11 th	75	1 st through 11 th
69	1 st through 11 th	76	Heavy Weight Division Champion
70	Light Weight Division Champion	77	Heavy Weight Division Reserve Champion
71	Light Weight Division Reserve Champion	78	Champion Duroc
72	1 st through 11 th	79	Reserve Champion Duroc
73	1 st through 11 th		
<u>BERKSHIRE</u>			
Class	Placing		
80	1 st through 11 th		
81	1 st through 11 th		
82	Champion Berkshire		
83	Reserve Champion Berkshire		

SHOW D CLASSES

<u>POLAND CHINA</u>			
Class	Placing		
84	1 st through 11 th		
85	1 st through 11 th		
86	Champion Poland China		
87	Reserve Champion Poland China		
<u>SPOTTED</u>			
Class	Placing		
88	1 st through 11 th		
89	1 st through 11 th		
90	1 st through 11 th		
91	1 st through 11 th		
92	Champion Spotted		
93	Reserve Champion Spotted		
<u>DARK CROSSBRED</u>			
Class	Placing		
94	1 st through 11 th	104	Heavy Weight Division Reserve Champion
95	1 st through 11 th	105	Champion Dark Cross
96	1 st through 11 th	106	Reserve Champion Dark Cross
97	1 st through 11 th		
98	Light Weight Division Champion		
99	Light Weight Division Reserve Champion		
100	1 st through 11 th		
101	1 st through 11 th		
102	1 st through 11 th		
103	Heavy Weight Division Champion		

*All division champions will be penned and held in a designated area. Any barrow watered in this area will be reweighed before the champion breed drive

CLASS CHAMPIONS	(Trophy)
DIVISION CHAMPIONS	(Trophy)
RESERVE DIVISION CHAMPIONS	(Trophy)
BREED CHAMPIONS	(Banner & Buckle)
RESERVE BREED CHAMPIONS	(Banner & Buckle)
GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR MARKET BARROW	(Banner, Buckle & Trophy)
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR MARKET BARROW	(Banner, Buckle & Trophy)

Junior Barrow Carcass Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Jeff Savell – College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Dan Hale – College Station, Texas

The first place barrows in each class of each breed will be slaughtered for carcass information. These animals will be sold through the premium sale and slaughtered as a group.

MINIMUM CARCASS STANDARDS

1. Minimum and maximum for hot carcass weight, 165 to 220 pounds, respectively.
2. Carcass muscle score is to be equal to or better than the Intermediate (2.0) pictured in the 2000 “Composition and Quality Assessment Procedures,” National Pork Board.
3. Carcass meat quality will be subjectively evaluated for the following using the 200 “Composition and Quality Assessment Procedures,” National Pork Board.
 - a. Loin muscle color score greater than 1 and less than 6
 - b. Loin muscle marbling score greater than 1
 - c. Loin muscle firmness and wetness score greater than 1
 - d. Belly at least slightly thick with a minimum of 0.6 inches of thickness at any point
 - e. Abnormalities (soft, oily fat; steatosis)

Carcasses failing to meet two or more of the minimum quality standards as outlined will be disqualified.

4. Percentage Fat Free Lean will be predicted by the following equation (“Composition and Quality Assessment Procedures,” National Pork Board):

Equation for pounds of fat-free lean (FFL):

- a. $8.588 - 21.896 \times 10^{\text{th}}$ rib fat depth, inches
- b. $+ 3.005 \times 10^{\text{th}}$ rib loin muscle area, inches²
- c. $+ 0.465 \times$ warm carcass weight, pounds

To convert to % fat-free lean, divide by warm carcass weight and multiply by 100

5. Other disqualifications:
 - a. Cryptorchids
 - b. Carcass that requires more than 1% trim due to “old” bruises or infected at injection site, abnormalities cysts, abscesses, diseased joints etc.

The carcass judge will select and place the top 10 carcasses on overall carcass merits from among the 15 carcasses with the highest percent fat free lean (FFL). The following awards will be given for 1st through 10th place.

Barrow Carcass Contest Awards

1st	2nd	3rd	4 th	5th -10th
\$500	\$400	\$300	\$200	\$100

1st place – belt buckle

Junior Market Broilers

Department U

Superintendent – Dale Hyatt – College Station, Texas

Assistant Superintendent – Jeanelle Windham-Lee – College Station, Texas

Judges – Cockerels: Dustin Morgenroth – St Hedwig, Texas

Pullets: Jason Lee – Bryan, Texas

Reliant Arena

Begin Arrival:	Friday	March 18	4 a.m.
Sift:	Friday	March 18	6 a.m.
On Premise By:	Friday	March 18	9 a.m.
Broiler Show:	Friday	March 18	10:30 a.m.
<i>(Broiler exhibitors are released upon completion of Show. All exhibitors qualifying for the Auction are required to attend the sale on March 19)</i>			
Champion Selection:	Friday	March 18	TBA
Auction:	Saturday	March 19	noon



Special Rules for Junior Market Broiler Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Arrival:** All exhibitors will arrive directly to Reliant Arena and enter through Gate 5. Poultry exhibitors will not be staged at Airport Boulevard.
- Guaranteed Payments:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo has established a Schedule of Guaranteed Payments (shown below), which must be accepted by all Junior Market Show exhibitors who win ribbons in the individual classes. In return for the Guaranteed Payment, winning animals become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and will be sold at their respective Junior Market Auction.

PLACE	GUARANTEE
Grand Champion Broilers	\$30,000
Reserve Grand Champion Broilers	\$15,000
1st – 10th Place Broilers (of each sex)	\$4,000
11th – 15th Place Broilers (of each sex)	\$1,250
16th – 25th Place Broilers (of each sex)	\$800
26th – 50th Place Broilers (of each sex)	\$700
51st – 75th Place Broilers (of each sex)	\$600
All Remaining Placing Broilers.....	\$500

*** All exhibitors qualifying for the Auction are required to be in attendance.**

- Potential Maximum Payment and Additional Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo also has an established schedule of Potential Maximum Payment amounts with regard to all Junior Market Auction bids. Amounts bid over the Potential Maximum Payment amounts will be transferred to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund. When the aggregate of amounts bid up to the Potential Maximum Payment amounts over the Guaranteed Payments results in a positive total, this total will be called the Additional Premiums. Additional Premiums will be paid evenly to all eligible Junior Market Show exhibitors.
- Broiler Chick Order:** Broiler chicks must be ordered through Texas A&M University's Poultry Science Department before Oct. 15, 2010. Broiler pick up is on Tuesday, Feb. 1, 2011, at the Louis Pearce Pavilion on the Texas A&M University Campus. Chicks will be straight run. It will be acceptable to show one pen of either sex in the broiler division.
- Sifting:** A sifting committee, with the department superintendent as one member, will inspect entries to eliminate entries not in proper show condition. Sick and diseased birds will be refused entry and if discovered at any time from the point of check in throughout the continuation of the Show, will be removed from Show Grounds and will no longer be eligible for competition. Birds with reduced comb growth, or other secondary sex characteristics which indicate the presence of a hormone, will be sifted. Broilers wing banded with the Houston Livestock Show wing bands can show regardless of sex. There is no upper

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weight limit. Light weight pens will be sifted. Sifted birds will be marked at time of sifting. Birds shown or sifted become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

7. **Ineligible Birds:** Deceased birds discovered at any time will be removed from show grounds and will become ineligible for show. If placing birds expire after pre-judging, the exhibitor will maintain their guaranteed sale lot in the auction.
8. **Bird Substitutions:** No bird substitutions are allowed. Exhibitors must bring the number of birds officially entered.
9. **Wing Bands:** Entry is one pen of three birds bearing official Houston Livestock Show wing bands that are assigned to exhibitor at point of distribution. Broilers losing their wing band cannot show. If the band and/or wing webb shows evidence of tampering or if the wing webb is torn in any way, the bird will be disqualified.
10. **Handling of Birds:** Birds cannot be removed from the assigned cage after they are cooped, except by permission of the show superintendent. Birds may be touched, handled, and managed inside the cage only by the owner of the birds.
11. **Feed and Litter:** Each exhibitor is required to supply their own feed. Feed that appears to have additives not consistent with normal poultry feeds will be tested by the Show and presence of unapproved compounds may result in disqualification. Each exhibitor is required to bring containers of their choice for feed and water providing that they do not compromise the space allotted to other exhibitors. Exhibitors may not add water or other liquids to their feed. Litter is furnished by the Show.
12. **Auction:** The top 200 pens of broilers will be auctioned (top 100 pens of cockerels and top 100 pens of pullets). Broilers not qualified for the auction will be sold at market price on the local market. The exhibitors (without birds) of the 200 selected entries are required to be at the auction.
13. **Health Papers:** The Official Broiler Order Form will serve to meet the requirements of the Texas Pullorum Disease-Fowl Typhoid Act of 1977, and no other broiler health papers need to be submitted for this show.

Exhibitors placing 1-10 in each sex.....(Banner)
GRAND CHAMPION PEN OF BROILERS.....(Banner, Buckle & Trophy)
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PEN OF BROILERS.....(Banner, Buckle & Trophy)

Junior Market Turkey Show

Department V

Superintendent – Dale Hyatt – College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Jeanelle Windham-Lee – College Station, Texas

Judges – Mike Vader – Brenham, Texas
Dennis Ellebracht – Harper, Texas

Reliant Arena



Begin Arrival:	Friday	March 18	4 a.m.
Sift:	Friday	March 18	6 a.m.
On Premise By:	Friday	March 18	9 a.m.
Turkey Show:	Friday	March 18	8 a.m.
<i>(Turkey exhibitors are released upon completion of Show. All exhibitors qualifying for the Auction are required to attend the sale on March 19)</i>			
Champion Selection:	Friday	March 18	TBA
Auction:	Saturday	March 19	noon

Special Rules for Junior Market Turkey Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listing in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Arrival:** All exhibitors will arrive directly to Reliant Arena and enter through Gate 5. Poultry exhibitors will not be staged at Airport Boulevard.
- Guaranteed Payments:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo has established a schedule of Guaranteed Payments (shown below), which must be accepted by all Junior Market Show exhibitors who win ribbons in the individual classes. In return for the Guaranteed Payment, winning animals become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and will be sold at their respective Junior Market Auction.

PLACE	GUARANTEE
Grand Champion Turkey	\$30,000
Reserve Grand Champion Turkey	\$15,000
1st – 12th Place Turkeys (of each sex).....	\$4,000
13th – 24th Place Turkeys (of each sex)	\$700
25th – 36th Place Turkeys (of each sex)	\$600
All Remaining Placing Turkeys	\$500

*** All exhibitors qualifying for the Auction are required to be in attendance.**

- Potential Maximum Payment and Additional Premiums:** The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo also has an established schedule of Potential Maximum Payment amounts with regard to all Junior Market Auction bids. Amounts bid over the Potential Maximum Payment amounts will be transferred to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Educational Fund. When the aggregate of amounts bid up to the Potential Maximum Payment amounts over the Guaranteed Payments results in a positive total, this total will be called the Additional Premiums. Additional Premiums will be paid evenly to all eligible Junior Market Show exhibitors.
- Turkey Poult Order:** Turkey poults must be ordered through Texas A&M University's Poultry Science Department before July 16, 2010. Turkey pick up is on Wednesday, Oct. 19, 2010, at the Louis Pearce Pavilion on the Texas A&M University Campus.
- Sifting:** A sifting committee will inspect entries to eliminate entries not in proper show condition or having external parasites. Sick and diseased turkeys will be refused entry and if discovered at any time from the point of check-in throughout the continuation of the Show, will be removed and will no longer be eligible for competition. The department superintendent will instruct turkey sifters and judges to disregard any wing damage in the area to which the official wing band is attached. There are no weight limits for either toms or hens. Sifted birds will be marked at time of sifting. Birds shown or sifted become the property of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
- Ineligible Birds:** Deceased birds discovered at any time will be removed from show grounds and will become ineligible for show. If placing birds expire after pre-judging, the exhibitor will maintain their guaranteed sale lot in the auction.

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8. **Bird Substitutions:** No bird substitutions are allowed. Exhibitors must bring the number of birds officially entered.
9. **Wing Bands:** Turkeys presented to the sifting committee must bear an official Houston Livestock Show wing band. The identification number on the band must fall within the series of consecutively numbered poult assigned to that individual of their family. Turkeys losing their wing band will not be eligible for show. If the band and/or wing webb shows evidence of tampering or if the wing webb is torn in any way, the bird will be disqualified.
10. **Handling of Birds:** Birds cannot be removed from the assigned cage after they are cooped, except by permission of the show superintendent. Birds may be touched, handled, and managed inside the cage only by the owner of the birds.
11. **Feed and Litter:** Each exhibitor is required to supply their own feed. Feed that appears to have additives not consistent with normal poultry feeds will be tested by the Show and presence of unapproved compounds may result in disqualification. Each exhibitor is required to bring containers of their choice for feed and water providing that they do not compromise the space allotted to other exhibitors. Exhibitors may not add water or other liquids to their feed. Litter is furnished by the Show.
12. **Auction:** The top 50 toms and top 50 hens will be auctioned. Turkeys not qualified for the auction will be sold at market price on the local market. The exhibitors (without birds) of the 100 selected entries are required to be at the auction.
13. **Health Papers:** The Official Poult Order Form will serve to meet the requirements of the Texas Pullorum Disease-Fowl Typhoid Act of 1977, and no other turkey health papers need be submitted for this show.

Exhibitors placing 1-12 in each sex (Banner)
GRAND CHAMPION TURKEY (Banner, Buckle & Trophy)
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION TURKEY (Banner, Buckle & Trophy)

Junior Commercial Steer Feeding & Management Show

Department K

Superintendent – Al Mahalitic – Eagle Lake, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Gaylon Patterson – Richmond, Texas

Graders – TBA

DEADLINES

Last Day to Purchase and Weigh Steers
for Beginning Weights.....Sept. 30
Intent Form & Weight Slips Due in Livestock Office..... Oct. 15
Entry Deadline Dec. 1

Begin Arrival:	Monday	March 7	4 a.m.
Record Books Turned In By:	Monday	March 7	10 a.m.
In Place By:	Monday	March 7	10 a.m.
Orientation & Exhibitor Lunch:	Monday	March 7	11 a.m.
Weighing & Grading:	Monday	March 7	12:30 p.m.
Ultrasound Demonstration	Monday	March 7	Estimate 4:30 p.m.
	Immediately following Weighing & Grading		
Quiz:	Tuesday	March 8	7 a.m.
Interviews & Meat ID:	Tuesday	March 8	8 a.m.
Sale:	Tuesday	March 8	4 p.m.
Final Interview:	Wednesday	March 9	7:30 a.m.
Educational Program	Wednesday	March 9	9 a.m.
Awards Banquet:	Wednesday	March 9	3:30 p.m.

Special Rules for Junior Commercial Steer Feeding & Management Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Purpose:** The Junior Commercial Steer Feeding & Management Show is to encourage more 4-H and FFA members to participate in a practical beef production program. Emphasis on feeding economy is not only recommended but is a prerequisite for entry in this Show.
- Previous Winners:** Past Overall Winners of the Junior Commercial Steer Feeding & Management Show cannot compete in any future Junior Commercial Steer Shows at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
- Intent Form:** Exhibitors should advise the Agricultural Exhibits & Competition Department, P.O. Box 20070, Houston, Texas 77225, on or before **October 15** of their intent to enter the Junior Commercial Steer Feeding & Management Show by submitting an intent form. The intent form can be completed at www.rodeohouston.com. The intent form must be mailed to the Show office and accompanied by the official scale ticket or tickets properly completed with the animals' identification, weight, date weighed, seller of the animal, buyer of the animal, sequential number of the scale ticket, and signature or initials of the weigh master. Upon receipt of the intent form and weight slips, feeding record forms will be mailed to the exhibitor in care of the AST or CEA. Ear tags will be mailed out to the club or chapter before the show.


In order to be considered an official entry, the exhibitor must also be entered on-line prior to Dec. 1, 2010 through the AST/CEA.

- Record Books:** Exhibitors must turn in their record books at time of arrival on Show grounds. Records books must be turned in by 10 a.m. on Monday, March 7, 2011. Questions regarding Record Books may be directed to Bill Krenek, Audit Vice Chairman (281) 320-1125 or via e-mail mnbkrennek@msn.com.
- Entry:** Entry will be a pen of three steers. Steers of any of the beef breeds are eligible to be entered in this Show. Replacement steers will not be accepted.

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7. **Arrival:** All exhibitors must arrive directly to Reliant Arena and enter through Gate 5. Exhibitors may begin to arrive no earlier than 4 a.m. and must be in place by 10 a.m. on Monday March 7. Exhibitors arriving earlier than 4 a.m. on March 7 will be turned away. Exhibitors may contact the Farm and Ranch Club at 281-463-6650 for a place to layover if needed.
8. **Feeding for Show:** Pen-of-three is to be fed in a separate feed pen from other livestock when placed on full feed. Steers grazed prior to entering their finishing pen may be grazed with other livestock.
9. **Affidavit of Certification:** Exhibitor, parent or guardian, and CEA or AST are required to sign an "Affidavit of Certification" certifying that all three steers are fed separately in a feedlot pen and not fed with other livestock. Violation of this rule will result in permanent disqualification.
10. **Days on Feed:** At time of weigh-in (sale weight) at the Show, the number of days on full feed must be given to the Committee by the exhibitor.
11. **Divisions:** Exhibitors between the ages of 9 & 13 on or before August 31, 2010, as well as students in the 3rd grade who have reached their 8th birthday, are eligible to compete in the Junior division of the Junior Commercial Steer Feeding and Management Show. Students between the ages of 14 & 18 on or before August 31, 2010 are eligible to compete in the Senior division of the Junior Commercial Steer Feeding and Management Show. Exhibitors in the Junior and Senior divisions will be evaluated by judges using the same scoring system. Junior Division exhibitors are eligible to win Sr./Overall awards and Special Awards. Senior Division exhibitors are not eligible to win Junior Awards.
12. **Weighing:** Cattle must be weighed on a certified livestock scale by a certified weigher within 7 days prior to the Show (March 1 thru March 7, 2011), with a 3 percent pencil shrink. This weight is the official weight for the feeding records (record weight). The certified weigher must sign the official scale ticket and the weights must appear on the ticket. This weighing will be followed by check-in weight (sale weight) at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Cattle will be sold on the check-in weight.
13. **Sale Weights:** Steers must weigh a minimum of 1,050 pounds or a maximum of 1,450 pounds (sale weight) at weigh-in. Steers that fall below or above these weights will not be graded and will sell at the end of the sale after all graded steers. There will be no reweighs.
14. **Steer Handling:** Steers that are wild or unruly will be disqualified. If it is necessary to remove one or more unruly animals from a pen, the entire pen will be disqualified. Steers will be shown as a group in pens. Exhibitors must be in their pen with steers, and remain with them through weighing and grading, and back to their pens. Exhibitors must be in their pen with steers on sale day, and remain with them to sale ring.
15. **Horns:** Steers must be dehorned with no re-growth of horns or scurs to be visible at the Show.
16. **Health Certification:** Health certificates are not required. Exhibitor and his or her AST/CEA or other representative must certify that the steers were withdrawn from all chemicals and drugs in accordance with USDA regulations and comply with all state and federal regulations pertaining to livestock.
17. **Death Loss:** Should an exhibitor lose a steer due to death, that exhibitor must provide immediate notification in writing stating time and cause of death to Show Management. This notification must also be signed by the CEA/AST and a parent or guardian.
18. **Grading Committee:** A committee of three judges will grade the Junior Commercial Steers based on the USDA standard quality and yield grades for slaughter steers.
19. **Questions:** The Junior Commercial Steer Feeding and Management Committee Chairman will designate a time when the exhibitor may direct questions or inquiries pertaining to any aspect of the Show to Show Officials or designated committee persons.
20. **Scoring Systems:** The official scoring system is based on 100 points, allocated as follows:
 - a. Quiz..... 25 pts.
 - b. Oral Interview..... 25 pts.
 - c. Record Book 25 pts.
 - d. Steer Grade..... 15 pts.
 - e. Cost/lb. gain 4 pts.
 - f. Avg. Daily gain 3 pts.
 - g. Feed Conversion..... 3 pts.

Junior Commercial Steer Feeding and Management Show

21. **Contest Completion:** Exhibitors must complete all phases of the contest and score a minimum number of points in order to receive premium moneys.
22. **Ineligible Steers for Points:** For steers that have been determined to have horns or scurs, weigh less than 1,050 pounds (sale weight) or weigh more than 1,450 pounds (sale weight), the exhibitor will not receive points on these ineligible steers.
23. **Ribbon Steers:** Steers receiving ribbons will be sold, by grade and weight, at a special sale. Steers below the grade of Select will be sold at the sale after all other steers of a higher grade are sold. The regular marketing cost, including trucking expenses to the livestock market, will be borne by the exhibitor and deducted from the sale proceeds. This is a practical, commercially fed steer show. It should be specifically understood that it is not the intent of the Show management to seek premium bids at the sale of the entries in this division. All steers entered will be sold at the sale.
-  24. **Sale Cap:** Sale price will be capped at 20 cents above fed cattle market on the day of the sale. Auction prices for steers weighing less than 1,050 pounds will be capped at 5 cents above the stated market price on the day of the sale. Show management will determine market price. Amounts bid over the cap amount will be transferred to the premium cash award pool for the current show year payout.
25. **Commission:** Exhibitors will be assessed a \$20 auction commission per head sold.

Ribbons will be awarded to steers grading as follows:

LIVE GRADES	RIBBON	POINTS PER STEER
USDA PRIME		
1. Yield Grade-1 to 2	Blue	5
2. Yield Grade- 3	Blue	4
3. Yield Grade-4 to 5	None	1
USDA CHOICE		
1. Yield Grade-1 to 2	Red	5
2. Yield Grade- 3	Red	4
3. Yield Grade-4 to 5	None	1
USDA SELECT		
1. Yield Grade-1 to 2	White	3
2. Yield Grade- 3	White	2
3. Yield Grade-4 to 5	None	0

PREMIUM CASH AWARDS: There will be premium cash awards based on Steer Points AND Record Points. Base premium moneys will be \$5,000 divided 20 percent (\$1,000) to Steer Points and 80 percent (\$4,000) to Record Points as follows:

STEER POINTS: The value of each steer point is determined by adding the total number of points on all animals and dividing into the total monies. A hypothetical case based on 300 steers graded as follows:

Prime, yield grade 1 to 2	5 steers	x 5 pts.	=	25 pts.
Prime, yield grade 3	5 steers	x 4 pts.	=	20 pts.
Prime, yield grade 4 to 5	3 steers	x 1 pts.	=	3 pts.
Choice, yield grade 1 to 2	150 steers	x 5 pts.	=	750 pts.
Choice, yield grade 3	94 steers	x 4 pts.	=	376 pts.
Choice, yield grade 4 to 5	10 steers	x 1 pts.	=	10 pts.
Select, yield grade 1 to 2	20 steers	x 3 pts.	=	60 pts.
Select, yield grade 3	9 steers	x 2 pts.	=	18 pts.
Select, yield grade 4 to 5	4 steers	x 0 pts.	=	0 pts.
300 Steers				1,262 pts.

\$1,000 divided by 1,262 = \$0.7923 per point (Approx.)

Prime, yield grade 1 to 2	= .7923 x 5	=	3.96/steer
Prime, yield grade 3	= .7923 x 4	=	3.17/steer
Prime, yield grade 4 to 5	= .7923 x 1	=	.79/steer
Choice, yield grade 1 to 2	= .7923 x 5	=	3.96/steer
Choice, yield grade 3	= .7923 x 4	=	3.17/steer
Choice, yield grade 4 to 5	= .7923 x 4	=	3.17/steer
Select, yield grade 1 to 2	= .7923 x 3	=	2.38/steer
Select, yield grade 3	= .7923 x 2	=	1.58/steer
Select, yield grade 4 to 5	= .7923 x 0	=	0.00/steer

Junior Commercial Steer Feeding and Management Show

RECORD POINTS: The point value is determined by the quiz, oral interview, record book, cost/lb. of gain, average daily gain and feed conversion. The exhibitors total scores (90 or less and a minimum of 25 or more to qualify for any steer points and/or record points) divided into the award moneys, i.e. 70 contestants x an average of 50 points = 3,500 points, Therefore, \$4,000 divided by 3,500 points = \$1.143. A score of 65 would receive \$74.30.

Junior Commercial Steer Feeding and Management Show 2011 Awards

Highest Sr/Overall Accumulated Show Points

1 st place	2011 Ford Truck – Donated by The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ \$1,000 Cash Award Trophy and Banner
2 nd place	Laptop Computer \$500 Cash Award Trophy and Pennant
3 rd place	Laptop Computer \$250 Cash Award Plaque
4 th place	Desktop Computer \$200 Cash Award Plaque
5 th place	\$175 Cash Award Plaque
6 th place	\$150 Cash Award Plaque
7 th place	\$125 Cash Award Plaque
8 th place	\$100 Cash Award Plaque

Sr. Rookie of the Year

\$750 Cash Award

Jr. Rookie of the Year Award

\$700 Cash Award

Highest Jr. Accumulated Show Points

1 st place	Desktop Computer \$300 Cash Award
2 nd place	\$150 Cash Award
3 rd place	\$100 Cash Award

Meat Identification Contest

1 st place	\$1,000 Cash Award
2 nd place	\$600 Cash Award
3 rd place	\$400 Cash Award
4 th place	\$300 Cash Award

Highest Grading Pen of Steers

\$400 Cash Award

Herdsmen Awards

1 st place	\$150 Cash Award
2 nd place	\$100 Cash Award
3 rd place	\$ 50 Cash Award

Best Record Book Award

\$150 Cash Award

Best Rookie Record Book Award

\$100 Cash Award

Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show

Department L

Superintendent – Dr. Steve Frazee – Wolfforth, Texas

Assistant Superintendents –Dr. Jason Cleere – College Station, Texas;

Dr. Lance Kieth, Canyon, Texas; Dr. Randall Williams – Kingsville, Texas; and Dr. Stanley Kelley – College Station, TX

Judges – Mark McClintock, San Angelo, Texas

Grey Brahman, Red Brahman, Limousin, Santa Gertrudis, ARB

Blake Bloomberg, Stillwater, Oklahoma

Brangus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Maine-Anjou, Beefmaster, Charolais

Dr. Dan Shike, Urbana, Illinois

Angus, Red Angus, Simmental, Red Brangus, Simbrah, Shorthorn

*Note: Trailers lining up before 11 a.m. on Tuesday, March 15 will be turned away from the staging area at Airport Blvd.

Begin Arrival:	Wednesday	March 16	4 a.m.
Arrive to Airport Blvd:	Wednesday	March 16	2 p.m.
Show A:	Friday	March 18	8 a.m.
Show B:	Saturday	March 19	8 a.m.
Show C:	Sunday	March 20	8 a.m.
Begin Release of Shown:	Saturday	March 19	7 a.m.
(all other remaining breeds will be released upon completion of breed shows)			
Must Be Out of Tie Outs	Sunday	March 20	3 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 20	6 p.m.



Show A : West Arena: Grey Brahman, Red Brahman, Shorthorn; East Arena: Beefmaster, Charolais, ARB

Show B: West Arena: Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simmental; East Arena: Simbrah, Angus, Maine-Anjou

Show C: West Arena: Hereford, Polled Hereford, ORB; East Arena: Limousin, Red Brangus, Red Angus

Special Rules for Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section and for each breed. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Entry:** ASTs/CEAs will be required to enter a numerical brand or tattoo upon time of entry.
- Registration Papers:** Exhibitors are required to submit a copy of the heifer's registration paper (listed in the name of the exhibitor on or before November 1, 2010) to the HLSR Livestock Office prior to December 15th. All copies of registration papers must be postmarked by December 15th.



In the event that an exhibitor fails to submit a copy of the heifer's registration paper prior to the December 15th deadline, the exhibitor will be charged a \$250 late submittal fee until January 5. No papers will be accepted after January 5th and the online heifer entry will be denied if a copy of the registration paper is not received in the office, postmarked Jan. 5, 2011.

- Premiums:** The premium payout is shown in the individual sections of each show within this department. Total premium is paid directly from the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
- Ownership/Registration:** Animals entered in this department must be owned by the exhibitor and registered in the records of the respective breed association (in the name of the exhibitor) on or before **November 1**. In the event that November 1 falls on a weekend or holiday (breed association office is closed), ownership by the exhibitor must still occur on or before November 1, but recording by the breed association will be allowed through the first business day thereafter. Permanent identification (i.e. brand or tattoo) must be present and must match the registration paper of the animal.
- Check-In:** Exhibitors will be called by breed to check registration papers. Heifers will NOT be walked through the main arena. Exhibitors must present original registration papers.
- ID Verification:** The tattoo or brand will be checked on the top 6 placing heifers at the conclusion of each class and must match the permanent ID that appears on the registration paper. Exhibitors will be disqualified if their heifer does not have a matching tattoo or brand. In the event of a disqualification, the next placing heifer with matching identification will advance. **THE SHOW WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR TATTOOING OR BRANDING HEIFERS.**
- Partnerships:** Partnerships of any form will no longer be allowed.



Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show



10. **Substitutions:** Exhibitors must designate the heifer they wish to exhibit at time of online entry. However, exhibitors will be allowed to submit registration papers on multiple heifers (in the name of the respective exhibitor on or before Nov. 1, 2010) to allow for later substitution. **Substitutions will only be allowed if a copy of the substitute heifer's registration paper (in the name of the respective exhibitor on or before Nov. 1, 2010) was received by the Show office on or before the December 15th deadline.**

Heifer substitutions can be made prior to February 1 by submitting a completed official entry application with the word "Substitution" printed thereon. These must have an official postmark dated no later than February 1. After February 1, substitutions will be accepted by the same method plus a \$50 fee.

10. **Stalling:** To stall together at Houston, groups MUST arrive together **at the staging area**. NO assignments will be made for heifers that are coming later. Heifers will be counted on the trailers. **The Airport Boulevard staging area will open at 2 a.m. on Wednesday, March 16. No trailers will be staged prior to these times. TIE-OUTS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE UPON ENTRY.**

11. **Dual Show Entry:** Entries in this department also are eligible for entry in the Open Breeding Beef Cattle Show.

12. **Clipping:** No clippers which must be plugged into an electrical outlet are allowed to be used on Junior Breeding Beef Heifers once they arrive on Show grounds. Cordless clippers are allowed.

13. **Grooming Material:** No grooming material is allowed. No painting or dyeing is allowed.

14. **Classes:** On the following page is a list of standardized classes that is being used for all breeds in the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show.

Heifer Calves

1. Late Spring Heifer Calves	4/1/10 & After	(Premium A & Trophy)
2. Early Spring Heifer Calves	3/1/10 – 3/31/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
3. Late Winter Heifer Calves	2/1/10 – 2/28/10	(Premium A & Trophy)
4. Early Winter Heifer Calves	1/1/10 – 1/31/10	(Premium A & Trophy)
5. CHAMPION HEIFER CALF		(Banner & Trophy)
6. RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER CALF		(Banner & Trophy)

Junior Heifers

7. Late Fall Junior Heifers	11/1/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
8. Early Fall Junior Heifers	9/1/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
9. Late Summer Junior Heifers	7/1/09 – 8/31/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
10. Early Summer Junior Heifers	5/1/09 – 6/30/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
11. CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER		(Banner & Trophy)
12. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR HEIFER		(Banner & Trophy)

Senior Heifers

13. Spring Senior Heifers	3/1/09 – 4/30/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
14. Winter Senior Heifers	1/1/09 – 2/28/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
15. Fall Senior Heifers	9/1/08 – 12/31/08	(Premium A & Trophy)
16. CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER		(Banner & Trophy)
17. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR HEIFER		(Banner & Trophy)
18. BREED CHAMPION		(Premium B, Banner & Buckle)
19. RESERVE BREED CHAMPION		(Premium B, Banner & Buckle)
20. AMERICAN SUPREME DIVISION CHAMPION		(Premium C, Banner & Buckle)
21. AMERICAN RESERVE SUPREME DIVISION CHAMPION		(Premium C, Banner & Buckle)
22. BRITISH SUPREME DIVISION CHAMPION		(Premium C, Banner & Buckle)
23. BRITISH RESERVE SUPREME DIVISION CHAMPION		(Premium C, Banner & Buckle)
24. CONTINENTAL SUPREME DIVISION CHAMPION		(Premium C, Banner & Buckle)
25. CONTINENTAL RESERVE SUPREME DIVISION CHAMPION		(Premium C, Banner & Buckle)
26. SUPREME CHAMPION HEIFER		(Premium D, Banner & Buckle)
27. RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION HEIFER		(Premium D, Banner & Buckle)

**** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drives. All Supreme Division Champions and Supreme Division Reserve Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive. The Supreme Champion Heifer Drive will take place upon the completion of the breed shows on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.**

Angus Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$1,000
American Angus Association	\$1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	\$1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$ 3,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the American Angus Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Angus Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: American Angus Association, 3201 Frederick Ave., St. Joseph, MO 64506, (816) 383-5100.
- 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.
- A minimum of fifteen (15) head must be 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.
- To be eligible for Association premiums, heifer entries must be recorded in the sole name of the junior exhibitor and the date of transfer or ownership must conform to the individual show's requirements regarding ownership. The association's contribution is included in the total premiums listed in each class.
- 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 Associations 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.
- 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 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 Rules 800-811. These rules can be found at www.angus.org.
- Any female shown with calf at side, the calf must be the cow's most recent natural calf and the calf must be registered by show date and have original registration certificate at check in.
- Only one person at a time shall lead animals into the show ring.
- Any product administered internally or used externally to alter 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), the 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, with the exception of false tail switches.
- No exhibitors, individuals assisting exhibitors, or member owners at any show for which the American Angus Association appropriates funds toward the payment of premiums shall be allowed to use any coloring agents on any animal exhibited or products contained in or dispensed from aerosol cans or other pressurized containers on any animals exhibited at such shows.

Angus Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$65	\$55	\$35	\$20				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000



** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Beefmaster Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$ 1,000
Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association.....	\$ 700
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$ 3,430

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Beefmaster Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Junior Beefmaster Breeders Association, 6800 Park Ten Blvd. #290 West, San Antonio, Texas 78213, (210) 732-3132.
- This show will abide by the JBBA-Approved Heifer Show rules. Heifers must be registered with the 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. Original BBU Certificate of Breeding on each animal, including any calf-at-side, must be presented upon arrival at the Show grounds. Application for a BBU Certificate of Breeding on calves under 30 days of age will be accepted in lieu of the original certificate. Heifers that do not show the day of month of birth on their BBU Certificates of Breeding shall be considered to be born on the first day of that month.
- Animals shall be shown with hair coat laying downward in a natural state that is flat to the entire body, which includes the legs as well as the tail.
- Animals unethically fitted to alter the conformation or appearance of the animal will be disqualified.
- Cattle that, in the opinion of the BBU official, would be a detriment to the breed will be removed from the Show, regardless of prior classification. Examples would be heifers exhibiting signs of low fertility, or genetic or physical defects.



Beefmaster Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$65	\$55	\$45	\$35				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Brangus Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$ 1,000
Texas Brangus Breeders Association.....	\$ 250
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$ 2,980

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the Texas Brangus Breeders Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Brangus Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Texas Brangus Breeders Association, PO Box 1066, Dripping Springs, TX 78620, (512)894-4257, or International Brangus Breeders Association, P.O. Box 696020, San Antonio, TX 78269-6020 (210) 696-8231 ext. 23.
- Animals entered in this department must be registered in the International Brangus Breeders Association. Breeding animals may not have scurs or any indication of scurs.
- Each Brangus animal may be subjected to a blood typing test to verify both accuracy of parentage and blood type, according to Rules 1 and 2 of the International Brangus Breeders Association (IBBA) Inspection of Exhibits. Refer to the "Special Rules" in the Open International Brangus Show of this book for complete rules and regulations. At selected shows and fairs, blood samples will be taken from all division champions and reserve division champions for the purpose of verifying parentage and blood type. Staff of the IBBA will supervise the collection of blood samples, which can be taken at shows, fairs, and events where the IBBA contributes premium money or where IBBA staff personnel participate. Cost of the blood typing procedure will be paid for by the IBBA. If a recorded parent is excluded (as a parent) as a result of blood typing, the owner of the animal may request, at his or her own expense, further determination of the actual parent. Failure to determine the sire and dam will result in the animal being listed in the IBBA Registry as a "Parentage Dispute," and the animal will be ineligible for future shows and exhibitions.



Brangus Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$55	\$45	\$35	\$20				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Charolais Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available	\$2,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to Charolais Association of Texas or its representative.

Special Rules for Charolais Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Charolais Association of Texas, P.O. Box 1046, Celina, TX 75009, (972) 382-4331.
- Animals must be purebred and registered with the American-International Charolais Association (AICA). Only original certificates of registration will be accepted as evidence of registration and ownership; no photocopies.
- Animals may be approved by a sifting committee designated by the AICA. Stall space will not be provided for any Charolais cattle that have not been accepted by the sifting committee.
- Animals are subject to a medical examination in order to determine age.
- Animals shown in individual classes must be weaned, with the exception of a female with a calf at side.
- Animals 20 months and older exhibited at AICA-sanctioned shows must be accompanied by a certificate of pregnancy from a licensed veterinarian, or have produced fertile eggs as certified in a written statement by a licensed veterinarian or embryologist, or have a calf at side.
- AICA requires that all animals be shown with a halter.
- Exhibitors of Charolais breeding cattle shall be governed by the AICA By-Laws, Article XV, titled "Exhibition of Animals.." The inspection of exhibit cattle is specified in Article XV, Paragraph C, of the Association By-Laws. Noncompliance of exhibit inspection is specified in Paragraph D of the same Article XV. Article XV, Paragraph C, Point 2: "Each animal will be presented in its natural conformation and structure without alteration or modification. Alteration or modification shall be defined to include any surgical, chemical, electrical or other (including banding or other circulatory constriction) appearance change for cosmetic purpose, save only branding, tattooing, foot trimming or dehorning. Silicone injection or other injection for cosmetic purpose shall be prohibited. Anabolic steroid use shall likewise be prohibited and any animal testing positive for anabolic steroid or diuretic use shall be presumed to be altered and modified."

Charolais Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Division Breed Champion Drive. All Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Grey Brahman Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$ 1,000
Texas Brahman Association	\$ 1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$ 3,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the American Brahman Breeders Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Brahman Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to American Brahman Breeders Association (ABBA), 3003 South Loop West, Suite 140, Houston, TX, 77054, (713) 349-0854.
- Only cattle with ABBA registration papers are eligible to show in approved ABBA junior heifer shows. IZBA papers are not accepted.



Grey Brahman Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$80	\$70	\$50	\$25				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Hereford Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available	\$ 2,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the American Hereford Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Hereford Beef Heifer Show

1. Heifers must be registered with the American Hereford Association to receive premiums. No heifer can be older than the Junior yearling age, and the registration name and number of each heifer must be sent to the association by the Agricultural Exhibits & Competition Department.
2. Owners of junior Hereford females exhibited at this show are eligible to apply for free semen and breeding certificates involving many of the breed's best sires available to them through the AHA Junior A.I. Program. For details and application forms, contact the Youth Department, American Hereford Association, P.O. Box 014059, Kansas City, Missouri 64101.
3. Exhibitors agree that each animal shown in this show and recorded with the American Hereford Association may be subject to a blood type test to verify both accuracy of parentage and blood type. Collection of DNA sample will be done by a nonpartisan individual designated by the Association.

Hereford Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule							
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**
A:	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20			
B:	\$750	\$500					
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000	
D:							\$3,000
							\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Limousin Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$2,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the Texas Limousin Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Limousin Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Texas Limousin Association, 3212 Collingsworth #18, Ft. Worth, TX 76107. (817)332-5995.
- Only purebred heifers are eligible to show. Purebred heifers are 75 percent Limousin blood or higher. There is no discrimination as to color. Ownership rules must comply with that of the Houston Livestock Show. All heifers must be registered with the North American Limousin Foundation in the name of the Junior exhibitor.

Limousin Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Maine-Anjou Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$ 1,000
Texas Maine-Anjou Association	\$ 500
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	\$1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$3,230

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of the section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the Texas Maine-Anjou Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Maine-Anjou Beef Heifer Show

1. Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Texas Maine-Anjou Association, PO Box 311929 New Braunfels, TX 78131-1929. (830) 609-1110
2. Maine-Anjou heifers shown in junior breeding classes must be 75 percent or more Maine-Anjou and must be registered with the American Maine-Anjou Association.
3. All Junior Exhibitors must be in good standing with the Texas Junior Maine-Anjou Association.



Maine-Anjou Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Polled Hereford

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$ 1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$ 2,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the American Hereford Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Polled Hereford Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: American Hereford Association P.O. Box 014059, Kansas City, MO, 64101, (816) 842-3757.
- Exhibitors agree that each animal shown in this show and recorded with the American Hereford Association may be subject to a blood type test to verify both accuracy of parentage and blood type. Collection of DNA sample will be done by a nonpartisan individual designated by the Association.

Polled Hereford Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Red Angus Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$1,000
Texas Red Angus Association	\$1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available	\$3,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the Texas Red Angus Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Red Angus Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Texas Red Angus Association, RR 1 Bos 9 Abernathy, TX 79311, (806) 438-4979.
- Only registered Red Angus, Category 1A, may show. Heifers, in addition to being registered as Category 1A, must exhibit only English characteristics and features. No white forward of the naval, above the underline or on legs is allowed. No combination of black on nose, eyes, or anus together is allowed. Heifers must be smooth poll only, showing no evidence of scurs or "buttons" removed. Heifers may be subject to blood typing to prove parentage.



Red Angus Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$80	\$70	\$50	\$25				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Red Brahman Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$ 1,000
Texas Brahman Association	\$ 1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available	\$ 3,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the American Brahman Breeders Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Brahman Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to American Brahman Breeders Association (ABBA), 3003 South Loop West, Suite 140, Houston, TX, 77054, (713) 349-0854.
- Only cattle with ABBA registration papers are eligible to show in approved ABBA junior heifer shows. IZBA papers are not accepted.



Brahman Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$80	\$70	\$50	\$25				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Red Brangus Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....	\$ 1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$ 2,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the American Red Brangus Association, International Red Brangus Breeders Association, or its representative.

Special Rules for Red Brangus Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: American Red Brangus Association or International Red Brangus Breeders Association.
- Heifers entered in this show must be registered (not certified) with the ARBA or the IRBBA.
- Owner must be a member in good standing with the association in which the animal he/she is exhibiting is registered to show.

Red Brangus Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Santa Gertrudis Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$ 1,000
Mid Coast Santa Gertrudis Association	\$ 1,500
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$1,730
Total Premium Available.....	\$ 4,230

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the Santa Gertrudis Breeders International or its representative.

Special Rules for Santa Gertrudis Beef Heifer Show

1. Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Santa Gertrudis Breeders International, PO Box 1257 Kingsville, TX 78363, (361) 592-9357.
2. Exhibitor must be a member in good standing with SGBI. Animal must be recorded in the name of the junior member. This recorded junior must feed, fit, care for, and show the animal entered.
3. Heifers 24 months of age or older, to be eligible, 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.
4. If a cow is shown with calf at side, the calf must be her natural calf and must meet the standard of excellence.
5. Animals unethically fitted to alter the conformation or appearance of the animal will be disqualified. Foot trimming and dehorning is allowed.
6. 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 be dismissed from the arena and/or forfeit premiums, awards and points won by same exhibitors.**
7. Polled classes will be handled by the Association.
8. SGBI reserves the right to tooth animals without prior notice to the breeders in order to verify age of cattle.
9. SGBI and its representative have the authority to require such tests as they deem necessary to verify the accuracy of the classification and pedigree of exhibited animals. "Said authority shall extend to and cover the enforcement of all shows rules as adopted by SGBI."
10. Dress for showing in an approved SGBI show shall be of clean and neat clothing. No caps are allowed, only hats or bareheaded. NO tennis shoes are allowed.
11. **Protest Filing Procedures:**
 - a. File protest with the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, following the procedures listed in the General Rules.
 - b. File the same protest with the SGBI Shows and Exhibits Committee within 24 hours after the occasion for such protests. Contact the Chairman.
 - c. Three exhibitors must sign the protest.
 - d. All SGBI 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.
 - e. Order of hearing a protest: 1) Chairman of Shows and Exhibits Committee; 2) action of Shows and Exhibits Committee; 3) final action by Board of Directors; and 4) follow appeal procedure as outlined in Rules and Regulations.
 - f. Rules and Regulations that have been properly protested to the Shows and Exhibits Committee shall be subject to the following penalties: 1) loss of premium money; 2) loss of awards; 3) suspension from showing that animal as deemed necessary (one, two or three shows); and 4) suspension of the exhibitor being the same as other SGBI rules penalties.



Santa Gertrudis Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$90	\$70	\$60	\$50				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Shorthorn Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$1,000
Texas Shorthorn Association	\$562.50
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$1,730
Total Premium Available	\$3,292.50

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to Texas Shorthorn Association, American Shorthorn Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Shorthorn Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Texas Shorthorn Association or American Shorthorn Association, PO Box 215, Jewett, TX 75846; 903.626.4365.
- Heifers must be purebred with a red bordered registration certificate. The TSA reserves the right to check ear tattoos and breed characteristics of Shorthorn heifers.
- Females competing in Senior Yearling Females classes must meet one of the following criteria:
 - be accompanied by an affidavit from a non-owner licensed veterinarian stating the female is safe in calf, or
 - have a natural born calf at side that is properly recorded with the American Shorthorn Association (embryo transfer progeny will not suffice).



Shorthorn Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$65	\$50	\$40	\$30				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Simbrah Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$ 1,000
Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association.....	\$ 600
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available	\$ 3,330

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Simbrah Beef Heifer Show

- Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association, Cleburne, Texas.
- Simbrah heifers shown in Junior breeding classes must be purebred Simbrah and must be registered with the American Simmental/Simbrah Association.
- 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 the TJSSA, its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such tests 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.



Simbrah Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$65	\$50	\$40	\$30				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies

Simmental Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$ 1,000
Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association.....	\$ 600
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available	\$ 3,330

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail. Protests involving special rules must be directed to the Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association or its representative.

Special Rules for Simmental Beef Heifer Show

1. Questions concerning association rules may be directed to: Texas Junior Simmental/Simbrah Association, Cleburne, Texas.
2. Simmental heifers shown in junior breeding classes must be purebred Simmentals and must be registered with the American Simmental/Simbrah 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 the TJSSA, its officers, directors and representatives from negligence, any and all claims, suits and judgments past, present or future, arising from or connected with the administration or use of such tests 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.



Simmental Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$65	\$50	\$40	\$30				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies

Other Registered Breeds Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$1,730
Total Premium Available	\$2,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Other Registered Breeds Beef Heifer Show

- The Other Registered Breeds heifer show is open to any heifer of *Bos Taurus* type, registered or issued a certificate of registry with a recognized breed association. Examples include, but are not limited to, Braunvieh, Chianina, Chiangus, Gelbvieh, and Pinzgauer. Certificate animals such as Main-tainer, appendix Shorthorn, Balancer etc. are eligible to show in this division.

ORB Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

American Registered Breeds Beef Heifer

Department L

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo	\$1,000
Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Livestock Committee	
.....	\$ 1,730
Total Premium Available	\$ 2,730

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations, the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show Special Rules and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for American Registered Breeds Beef Heifer Show

1. The American Registered Breeds heifer show is open to any heifer of *Bos Indicus* type, registered or issued a certificate registry with a recognized breed association. Examples include, but are not limited to, Brahmousin, Braford, Charbray, and Gelbray. Certificate animals such as Star 5 Gert, Golden Certified Brahmans, and Brangus Black-Gold are eligible to show in this division.

ARB Beef Heifer Show Premium Schedule								
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Supreme Division Champion**	Reserve Supreme Division Champion**	Supreme Champion**	Reserve Supreme Champion**
A:	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20				
B:	\$750	\$500						
C:					\$1,500	\$1,000		
D:							\$3,000	\$2,000

** All Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers are required to be in attendance for the Supreme Division Breed Champion Drive. All Supreme Division Champions must be in attendance for the Supreme Champion Heifer Drive on Sunday, March 20, 2011. Exhibitors not in compliance with these guidelines will forfeit all premium monies.

Calf Scramble

GENERAL:

Calf Scramble online entry will be available to Clubs/Chapters Oct. 1, 2010 at www.rodeohouston.com. All entries must be submitted by AST/CEA only by Dec. 1, 2011.

- a. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ is not responsible for any accidents which may occur to any participant in the Calf Scramble before, during or after the event.
- b. Participants are selected on a first-come, first-served basis. AST/CEAs may enter calf scramble participants online beginning Oct. 1, 2010 and reenter the system at a later date to submit the remainder of their junior livestock show entries prior to the December 1 deadline.
- c. Once the necessary paperwork has been received and verified by the Calf Scramble office, qualified applicants will be notified of their acceptance as a participant or alternate, the date and time they are to participate, and where they are to meet. This official notification will be sent to you by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Calf Scramble Office ONLY.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- a. Applicants must be enrolled in and considered eligible in a Texas 4-H or FFA at the time of application and if selected, at the time of scramble.
- b. Applicants must be enrolled in and attending a public or private secondary school in the state of Texas.
- c. Applicant must have reached their 14th, but **NOT** their 18th birthday on Jan. 1, 2011 and not be enrolled beyond their junior year in high school.
- d. Applicant must be financially capable to supply any additional funds that may be needed to purchase the heifer or market steer and to feed and care for it.
- e. Applicant must be able to provide suitable facilities for caring and developing a breeding heifer or a market steer.
- f. Applicant must be capable to devote the appropriate time and attention to the calf and return to the 2012 Show with a heifer that all parties involved will be proud to display.
- g. Applicant and his/her parents/guardian must be willing and the participant must be eligible to spend the required time away from school and other activities to exhibit and care for the heifer or steer at the 2012 Show. They must also have the required time it takes to submit all monthly paperwork, year-end essays and scrapbook.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENT:

- a. Participants must be able to run and perform procedures necessary to scramble.
- b. Applicant must weigh at least **100 pounds**.
- c. Participants appearing to have broken limbs or evidence of a recent injury (cast, ace bandage, support brace, etc.) will **automatically** be disqualified and replaced by the first eligible alternate.

SPECIAL RULES:

- a. Certificate Limitations: Applicants who previously won a scramble certificate through participation in the Calf Scramble, 4-H and FFA Dairy Judging Contest, or 4-H and FFA Livestock Judging Contest at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo are not eligible to participate in the Calf Scramble or to accept additional Calf Scramble certificates.
- b. Scramble Limitations: Participants are only allowed to participate in one Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Calf Scramble in any one year. Clubs/Chapters are limited to 5 entries per year.
- c. Substitutions: If a participant is unable to scramble for any reason, an alternate will be assigned by the Calf Scramble Office.
- d. Ineligible Participants: Approved applicants are considered eligible by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo for participation in the Calf Scramble at the time the online entries are made. Any CEA/AST that has a member who becomes ineligible to participate, for any reason, must provide written and signed notification to the scramble office at least 24 hours prior to the commencement of the scheduled scramble in which the ineligible participant was to participate. Failure to do so may result in disqualification of entries for the following Show year.
- e. Dress: Participants must wear long pants and comfortable shoes. Shoes with any type of knob or cleat are not allowed. A belt is not required but strongly suggested. Please remember that you will be running in dirt, so the more comfortable you are, the easier it is to run.
- f. Roll Call: Participants must be checked in at the Scramble Meeting room prior to the start of the meeting. Any participant not present at the start of the meeting may forfeit their position and be replaced with an alternate. A notice including the scramble date and meeting time will be sent to all participants and alternates.
- g. Mandatory Meeting: There will be a mandatory meeting for all participants receiving a scramble certificate immediately following the calf scramble. Participants will be directed to this location immediately following the calf scramble. Show management reserves the right to excuse a participant from attending this meeting.



Purchase Certificate Rules



1. Total award for all Calf Scramble Certificate recipients is \$1,500, \$1,250 of which will be used to purchase the heifer or market steer and \$250 of which will be received upon check-in at the 2012 Show, provided that all obligations are fulfilled. Purchase certificates in the amount of \$1,250 must be used in the purchase of a **breeding beef or breeding dairy** heifer or a **market steer** approved by the CEA or AST. Heifers must be born between Jan. 1, 2010 and Mar. 31, 2011. Heifer breeds that are eligible for purchase are: Brahman, Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Beefmaster, Red Brangus, Angus, Shorthorn, Red Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Charolais, Limousin, Maine-Anjou, Simmental, American Registered Breeds, British Registered Breeds, European Registered Breeds, Holstein, Jersey, and Brown Swiss. The American Registered Breeds, British Registered Breeds and European Registered Breed divisions are open to the following breeds: Braunvieh, Chimaine, Chiangus, Gelbvieh, MaineTainer, Shorthorn Plus, Star 5 Santa Gertrudis, Golden Certified Brahmans, Brangus Black Gold, Brahmousin, Braford, Charbray. All other breeds falling within the American or British Registered Breeds must be approved individually by Show management..

All steers must be validated through the Texas 4-H and FFA steer validation program by June 30, 2011 and the electronic identification number must be remitted to the Calf Scramble office on or before July 15, 2011. Steers may be any breed of beef cattle.

2. The calf must be a FFA or 4-H project. The winner **MUST** return to the 2012 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and show the calf in the Junior Beef Scramble Heifer or Steer Show. Steer projects may not be entered in any show prior to the 2012 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo that requires the winning animals to be sold at auction. Appropriate entry materials must be submitted through the exhibitor's club or chapter by Dec. 1, 2011 for the exhibitor to show in the 2012 Junior Livestock Show.
3. Payment on scramble heifer certificates will be made to the seller after the completed purchase certificate and the original, transferred registration paper are received in the scramble office. Payment on steer certificates will be made to the seller after the completed purchase certificate is received in the Scramble Office. The original scramble certificate must be signed by the supervisor, seller and student. Payment will be delayed if documentation is incomplete.
4. All correspondence, including certificate and registration papers, should be sent to:

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo
Attn: Calf Scramble Office
P.O. Box 20070
Houston, Texas 77225-0070

5. Winners cannot purchase animals from themselves, immediate family members (mother, father, brother, sister, sister-in-law, brother-in-law, grandfather, grandmother, stepfather, stepmother, half brother, half sister, niece, nephew, aunt, uncle, cousin) or their ranches (family ranches or partnerships). Checks will not be issued to 4-H Clubs, FFA Chapters, students, parents or supervisors.
6. Winners cannot purchase a calf that they have previously shown at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo in any given year or any calf that has previously been recorded in their name or in an immediate family member's name.



7. If a calf is purchased for less than the \$1,250 certificate amount, the seller will be issued a check for only the actual purchase amount.
8. Heifer Certificates may be combined with certificates from other stock shows that occur between Jan. 1 and Mar. 31, 2011 as long as the animal is brought back to the Houston Livestock Show in 2012. If a combination of certificates is being used, the original transferred registration papers must be sent to the Show that is earliest in the calendar year. The first Show will make copies of the original transferred registration papers and then forward the original transferred registration papers to the later Shows. The last Show of the calendar year will receive and hold the original transferred registration papers and forward the original transferred registration papers to the winner/exhibitor upon completion of his project at all of the Shows involved.



9. Winners who fail to fulfill their obligations as stated in these rules will have their Calf Scramble Certificates revoked, will be required to repay the certificate value to the Houston Livestock Show and will be required to provide a letter of explanation to the donor and the scramble office. Failure to comply with these rules could also result in forfeiture of Calf Scramble entries for one year for that club/chapter. If repayment is not made within 30 days of the 2012 Show, HLSR reserves the right to repossess the scramble heifer or steer.



10. Failure to submit three (3) or more reports to the donor and Scramble Office during the course of the year long project will make the exhibitor ineligible for the remaining \$250 received upon check-in to the 2012 Show. Failure to submit any reports during the course of the project will allow the exhibitor to forfeit any premiums won during the Calf Scramble Heifer or Steer Show in addition to the \$250.

Beef Scramble Heifer Show



Department S

Superintendent – Steve Frazee, Lubbock, Texas
Assistant Superintendents – Jason Cleere, Overton, Texas;
Lance Keith, Canyon, Texas; and Randall Williams, Kingsville, Texas

Judges – Brant Poe – Brenham, TX
Wes Hudson – Harrison, AR

	Early Arrival:	Tuesday	March 15	noon-5 p.m.
	Breeding Beef Heifer Arrival:	Wednesday	March 16	4 a.m.
	In Place By:	Wednesday	March 16	2 p.m.
	Check-In:	Wednesday	March 16	7 p.m.
	Donor Breakfast:	Thursday	March 17	8:30 a.m.
	Dairy Scramble Show:	Thursday	March 17	1:30 p.m.
	Beef Scramble Show	Thursday	March 17	2:00 p.m.
	Awards Presentation:	Friday	March 18	8 p.m.
	Must Be Out of Tie Outs	Saturday	March 19	midnight
	Begin Release:	Sunday	March 20	7 a.m.
	Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 20	6 p.m.

Special Rules for Beef Scramble Heifer Show

1. This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
-  2. Arrival- Scramble heifers may move in prior to Jr. Breeding Beef Heifer move in from noon to 5 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15. All trailers with scramble heifers must report to Airport Blvd. for staging. **ONLY** scramble heifers will be allowed to move in during this time. Trailers containing heifers that are not entered in the 2011 Calf Scramble Heifer Show **will not** be allowed entry to the grounds on this day.
-  3. Check-in – Exhibitors will be called by breed to check registration papers. Heifers will NOT be walked through the main cattle arena. Exhibitors must present original registration papers.
4. Scramble classes are limited to 2010 Calf Scramble certificate winners. Scramble heifer entry fees have been waived.
5. Calf Scramble exhibitors are strongly recommended to enter their scramble heifer in the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show with an entry fee of \$30. However, Calf Scramble exhibitors are only allowed one entry in the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show and it must also be the Scramble heifer.
6. Class schedules, numbers, age requirements and premium moneys (with the exception of special awards) are the same for all divisions. There is a minimum of 20 head per breed or the breed will be placed in the respective other breeds division. American beef Scramble heifers will be judged in the west side of the Main Arena. British and European beef Scramble heifers will be judged in the east side of the Main Arena. Judging will begin at 1:30 p.m. and go until finished. Scramble Show heifers will compete together in the classes listed.
7. Showmanship will be judged during the Beef Scramble Show and awarded at the Awards Presentation.

Beef Scramble Heifer Show Premium Schedule

	1 st	2 nd	3rd	4th	5 th
	Trophy	Plaque			
A:	\$100	\$90	\$80	\$70	\$60

Scramble Heifer Show

CLASSES

American Breeds: West side of Main Arena

BEEFMASTER

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|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Heifers | 02/01/10 – 03/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifers | 01/01/10 – 01/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifers | 11/01/09 – 12/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Heifers | 07/01/09 – 10/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 5. Heifers | 03/01/09 – 06/30/09 | (Premium A) |
| 6. Champion Female | | (\$250 & Banner) |
| 7. Reserve Champion Female | | (\$150 & Banner) |

BRAHMAN

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|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Heifers | 03/01/10 – 03/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifers | 01/01/10 – 02/28/10 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifers | 10/01/09 – 12/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Heifers | 08/01/09 – 09/30/09 | (Premium A) |
| 5. Heifers | 01/01/09 – 07/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 6. Champion Female | | (\$250 & Banner) |
| 7. Reserve Champion Female | | (\$150 & Banner) |

BRANGUS

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|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Heifers | 01/01/10 – 03/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifers | 11/01/09 – 12/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifers | 08/01/09 – 10/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Heifers | 04/01/09 – 07/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 5. Champion Female | | (\$250 & Banner) |

SANTA GERTRUDIS

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|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Heifers | 03/01/10 – 03/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifers | 01/01/10 – 02/28/10 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifers | 12/01/09 – 12/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Heifers | 07/01/09 – 11/30/09 | (Premium A) |
| 5. Heifers | 04/01/09 – 06/30/09 | (Premium A) |
| 6. Champion Female | | (\$250 & Banner) |
| 7. Reserve Champion Female | | (\$150 & Banner) |

OTHER AMERICAN BREEDS

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|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Heifers | 03/01/10 – 03/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifers | 01/01/10 – 02/28/10 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifers | 11/01/09 – 12/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Heifers | 09/01/09 – 10/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 5. Heifers | 03/01/09 – 08/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 6. Champion Female | | (\$250 & Banner) |
| 7. Reserve Champion Female | | (\$150 & Banner) |

Dairy Breeds: West side of Main Arena

DAIRY

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|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Heifers | 12/01/09 – 03/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifers | 06/01/09 – 11/30/09 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifers | 02/01/09 – 05/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Champion Female | | (\$250 & Banner) |
| 5. Reserve Champion Female | | (\$150 & Banner) |

British Breeds: East side of Main Arena

ANGUS

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|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Heifers | 03/01/10 – 03/31/10 | (Premium A) |
| 2. Heifers | 01/01/10 – 02/28/10 | (Premium A) |
| 3. Heifers | 10/01/09 – 12/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 4. Heifers | 06/01/09 – 09/30/09 | (Premium A) |
| 5. Heifers | 01/01/09 – 05/31/09 | (Premium A) |
| 6. Champion Female | | (\$250 & Banner) |
| 7. Reserve Champion Female | | (\$150 & Banner) |
| 6. Reserve Champion Female | | (\$150 & Banner) |

Scramble Heifer Show

SHORTHORN

1. Heifers	01/01/10 – 03/31/10	(Premium A)
2. Heifers	12/01/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
3. Heifers	11/01/09 – 11/30/09	(Premium A)
4. Heifers	10/01/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
5. Heifers	05/01/09 – 09/30/09	(Premium A)
6. Champion Female		(\$250 & Banner)
7. Reserve Champion Female		(\$150 & Banner)

HEREFORD

1. Heifers	01/01/10 – 03/31/10	(Premium A)
2. Heifers	11/01/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
3. Heifers	10/01/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
4. Heifers	02/01/09 – 09/30/09	(Premium A)
5. Champion Female		(\$250 & Banner)
6. Reserve Champion Female		(\$150 & Banner)

OTHER BRITISH BREEDS

1. Heifers	02/01/10 – 03/31/10	(Premium A)
2. Heifers	01/01/10 – 01/31/10	(Premium A)
3. Heifers	02/01/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
4. Heifers	01/01/09 – 01/31/09	(Premium A)
5. Champion Female		(\$250 & Banner)
6. Reserve Champion Female		(\$150 & Banner)

European Breeds: East side of Main Arena

CHIMAINÉ

1. Heifers	01/01/10 – 03/31/10	(Premium A)
2. Heifers	11/01/09 – 12/31/09	(Premium A)
3. Heifers	10/01/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
4. Heifers	08/01/09 – 09/30/09	(Premium A)
5. Champion Female		(\$250 & Banner)
6. Reserve Champion Female		(\$150 & Banner)

OTHER EUROPEAN BREEDS

1. Heifers	02/01/10 – 03/31/10	(Premium A)
2. Heifers	11/01/09 – 01/31/10	(Premium A)
3. Heifers	10/01/09 – 10/31/09	(Premium A)
4. Heifers	09/01/09 – 09/30/09	(Premium A)
5. Heifers	03/01/09 – 08/31/09	(Premium A)
6. Champion Female		(\$250 & Banner)
7. Reserve Champion Female		(\$150 & Banner)

GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

(\$750, Banner & Buckle)

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE

(\$500, Pennant & Buckle)

Junior Dairy Cattle

Department R

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo\$7,250

Superintendent – Dr. Glenn Holub – College Station, Texas

Assistant Superintendent – Ron Woolley – Stephenville, Texas and Joshua Hoffman – Dalhart, Texas

Judge – Chris Lahmers – Marysville, OH

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 12	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Saturday	March 12	5 p.m.
Checked In By:	Saturday	March 12	7 p.m.
Show:	Monday	March 14	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Monday	March 14	2 p.m.
Must Be Out By:	Monday	March 14	10 p.m.

Special Rules for Junior Dairy Cattle Show

- Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
- Registration:** Animals entered in the Junior Dairy Show must be owned and recorded in the name of the exhibitor in the herd book of their respective breed association before Nov. 1, 2010.
- Number of Entries:** There is no longer a limit on the number of dairy cattle an exhibitor may enter.
- Substitutions:** Substitutions can be made prior to Feb. 1 by submitting a completed official entry application with the word "Substitution" printed thereon. These must have an official postmark dated no later than Feb. 1. After Feb. 1, heifer substitutions will be accepted by the same method plus a \$50 fee.
- Dress Code:** Exhibitor clothing in the Show arena may not bear any insignia or writing other than FFA or 4-H.
- Classes:** Each of the three breeds competing in the Junior Dairy Show are divided into 14 classes. The breed shows are Brown Swiss, Jersey, and Holstein. Class schedules, numbers, and age requirements are the same for all breeds.
- Championship Awards:** Only animals receiving 1st or 2nd Premium Awards in their individual classes will be eligible for championship awards.

Junior Dairy Cattle Show Premium Schedule

	1 st	2 nd	3rd	4th
A:	\$60	\$45	\$35	\$25
B	\$500			

Junior Dairy Cattle Show

CLASSES

1. Heifers	calved 9/1/10 - 10/15/10	(Premium A & Trophy)
2. Heifers	calved 6/1/10 - 8/31/10	(Premium A & Trophy)
3. Heifers	calved 3/1/10 - 5/31/10	(Premium A & Trophy)
4. Heifers	calved 12/1/09- 2/28/10	(Premium A & Trophy)
5. Heifers	calved 9/1/09- 11/30/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
6. Heifers (not in milk)	calved 6/1/09 - 8/31/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
7. Heifers (not in milk)	calved 12/1/08 - 5/31/09	(Premium A & Trophy)
8. JUNIOR CHAMPION FEMALE, classes 1-7		(Trophy)
9. RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR FEMALE		(Trophy)
10. Senior two year old cow (Including younger animals that have freshened)	calved 9/1/08 - 11/30/08	(Premium A & Trophy)
11. Three year old cow	calved 9/1/07 - 8/31/08	(Premium A & Trophy)
12. Four year old cow	calved 9/1/06 - 8/31/07	(Premium A & Trophy)
13. Five year old cow	calved 9/1/05 – 8/31/06	(Premium A & Trophy)
14. Aged Cow	calved 8/31/05 or before	(Premium A & Trophy)
15. SENIOR CHAMPION FEMALE, classes 10-14		(Trophy)
16. RESERVE CHAMPION SENIOR FEMALE		(Trophy)
17. GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Premium B, Banner, & Buckle)
18. RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION FEMALE		(Banner & Buckle)
19. Junior Dairy Herd: Five animals from one 4-H Club or FFA Chapter. Only one entry per 4-H Club or FFA Chapter.		(Trophy)
20. Junior Fitting and Showmanship		(Trophy)
21. Senior Fitting and Showmanship		(Trophy)

Junior Breeding Sheep

Department N


Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo\$9,500

Superintendent – Walter Gerhart – Winters, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Jim Bollinger – Clifton, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Watt Wardlaw – San Antonio, Texas

Judge – Rick Klampe – Albany, Oregon

Begin Arrival:	Friday	March 4	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Friday	March 4	3 p.m.
Check In By:	Friday	March 4	5 p.m.
Reception:	Friday	March 4	7 p.m.
Show:	Saturday	March 5	8 a.m.
Begin Release:	Saturday	March 5	upon completion of show
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	10 a.m.

Special Rules for Junior Breeding Sheep Show

1. **Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
2. **Judges:** Open and Junior Breeding Sheep classes will be judged separately, under two judges in 2 separate show rings. The junior show will begin at 8 a.m. and the open show will begin at 9 a.m.
3. **Registration:** All entries in this department must be registered in the flock books of their respective breed, on or before October 1 of the year before the show.
4. **Partnerships:** Partnerships are not allowed.
5. **Shearing:** Open Rambouillet and Columbia must be shorn to the skin with a machine using Texas combs on or after October 20th of the year preceding the show. In the Delaine Division, lambs and two tooth sheep may be shown in full fleece. Four to six tooth sheep must be shorn to the skin with a machine using Texas combs on or after March 10th of the year preceding the show. Boots and top knots may be left on sheep. The superintendent and his committee has the right to determine if this rule has been complied with and disqualify any animal not meeting this criteria.
6.  **Number of Animals:** There is no longer a limit on the number of breeding sheep entries an exhibitor may enter. Exhibitors will be restricted to one entry in each group class.
7. **Validation:** Breeding sheep must be validated through the Texas 4-H/FFA Breeding Sheep Validation Program. The ownership deadline has changed from November 1, 2010 to October 1, 2010. Existing breeder tag numbers and tattoos will be used. Therefore, **NO VALIDATION TAGS AND COUNTY TATTOO NUMBERS WILL BE REQUIRED.** The registration number for each animal will be recorded on the validation form and a copy of the original registration papers will be attached to the validation form. Nose prints and hair samples will be taken on all breeding ewes and rams. All breeding sheep will be validated in individual exhibitor name and not by families as conducted on the market animal validation program. Show management will make the final decision regarding any potential disqualification.
8. **Entry Designation:** It is not necessary for the exhibitor to specify a particular animal when entering the single classes; however, a separate entry application must be made and submitted to the Show before the entry deadline for each individual entry and each group class he wishes to make. Name and flock number must be furnished to the Superintendent and entered into the judging books upon arrival at the Show.
9. **Group Classes:** Group classes must be entered by the Dec. 1 entry deadline. Group class entries are \$10 per group class entered. Late entry is not allowed.

Junior Breeding Sheep Show


10. Back Numbers: Exhibitors must wear back numbers issued by Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, corresponding with entry in the show ring.

11. Breeding Ages: For the purpose of this show, the following will apply regarding ages of breeding sheep:

Toothing of sheep to determine the age class in which they are shown will be done after check-in. Sheep with the following tooth development at check-in time will show in the listed classes, and they will not be toothed in the show ring.

- a. Lambs must be carrying all milk teeth. Lambs showing either or both of their first pair of permanent incisors may not show in the lamb classes.
- b. Sheep eligible to compete in the two-tooth breeding classes must show only the first pair of permanent incisors. Sheep which have dropped their central pair of milk teeth and show one or both teeth of the first permanent pair may show as singles only in the two-tooth classes of their respective breeds.
- c. Sheep showing the first two pairs or three pairs of permanent incisors may show as singles in the four-to-six tooth class only.
- d. Sheep with more than six permanent teeth may not exhibit in the show.

12. Exhibiting: Adults are prohibited from exhibiting or "heeling" for any junior exhibitor.

 **13. Show Order:** Show order will be determined upon arrival. Classes will be posted upon completion of check-in. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to review the check-in sheets that will be posted and contact the show superintendent on Friday, March 4 in the event that an entry/entries posted are in the incorrect class. All changes must be made prior to 8 am on Saturday, March 5.

14. Premium Awards: The Premier Exhibitor Award will be awarded to the exhibitor with the highest paid premiums. The following premium schedule will apply to each of the eleven breeds:

Breeding Sheep Show Premium Schedule A				
Premium A	1st \$40	2nd \$30	3rd \$15	4th \$10
Premium B	Champion \$100	Reserve Champion \$50		
Premium C	\$1,200	\$600		

The eleven breeds competing in the Junior Breeding Sheep Show are: COLUMBIA, DELAINE-MERINO, DORSET, HAMPSHIRE, RAMBOUILLET, SHROPSHIRE, SOUTHDOWN, SUFFOLK, DORPER, ROYAL WHITE, and ORB. The breeds will be shown in the order listed in the Daily Schedule. Class schedules, numbers, and age requirements (with the exception of special awards) are the same for all breeds. Any breed with fewer than 20 entries will be combined into the ORB division. Show Management will make the final decision on combining breeds.

RAM CLASSES

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| 1. Ram Lamb | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 2. Two-Tooth Ram | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 3. Four To Six Tooth Ram | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 4. CHAMPION RAM | (Premium B, Banner & Trophy) |
| 5. RESERVE CHAMPION RAM | (Premium B & Banner) |

EWE CLASSES

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| 6. Ewe Lamb | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 7. Two-Tooth Ewe | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 8. Four To Six Tooth Ewe | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 9. CHAMPION EWE | (Premium B, Banner & Trophy) |
| 10. RESERVE CHAMPION EWE | (Premium B & Banner) |

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GROUP CLASSES

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| 11. 2 Rams Any Age | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 12. 2 Ewes Any Age | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 13. Best Pair-of-Sheep: Both sexes represented | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 14. Best of 5 Sheep: 1 Ram, 4 Ewes, Any Age | (Premium A & Rosette) |
| 15. Supreme Champion Ewe | (Premium C, Banner, Trophy & Buckle) |
| 16. Reserve Supreme Champion Ewe | (Premium C, Banner, Trophy & Buckle) |

Junior Breeding Gilt Show

Department O

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.....\$18,000

Superintendent – Stanley Young – Lubbock, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – David Kercheval – Ft. Worth, Texas

Judge – Brian Anderson – Caney, Kansas

Begin Arrival:	Saturday	March 5	7 a.m.
In Place By:	Saturday	March 5	3 p.m.
Check-In By:	Saturday	March 5	5 p.m.
Show:	Sunday	March 6	8 a.m.
Release:	Sunday	March 6	upon completion of show
Must Be Out By:	Sunday	March 6	8 p.m.

Special Rules for Breeding Gilt Show

1. **Rules:** This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations, the Junior Show Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules listed in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.
2. **Registration:** All animals must be registered in the Herdbook of their Association. Purchase, delivery, possession, and registration must all occur on or before Dec. 1 of the year before the show.
3. **Number of Animals:** There is no longer a limit on the number of gilt entries an exhibitor may enter.
4. **Dressings:** No oil, paint, powder or other dressing is permitted on swine. Only water is allowed.
5. **Animal Age:** All gilts must have been farrowed between July 1 and September 30, the year preceding the Show.
 - a. Gilts will be divided into pre-set age divisions within their respective breeds. The divisions are:
 Division I, Sept. 1 – Sept. 30; Division II, Aug. 1 – Aug. 31; and Division III, Jul. 1 – Jul. 31.
 - b. Divisions with 25 or more entries will be broken into two classes.
6. **Substitutions:** Substitutions can be made prior to Feb. 1 by submitting a completed official entry application with the word "Substitution" printed thereon. These must have an official postmark dated no later than Feb. 1. After Feb. 1, gilt substitutions will be accepted by the same method plus a \$50 fee.
7. **Show Order:** Breeds will be shown in the following order: Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Poland China & Spotted, and Yorkshire.

Breeding Gilt Show Premium Schedule

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Premium A	\$80	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40
Premium B	\$650	\$300			
Premium C	\$2500	\$1500			

AWARDS

Class Champions
 Breed Champions
 Reserve Breed Champions
SUPREME CHAMPION
RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION
 Junior Showmanship (8 to 13 years of age)
 Senior Showmanship (14 years and older)

Premium C & Trophy
 Premium B, Banner & Buckle
 Premium B, Banner & Buckle
 Premium C, Banner & Buckle
 Premium C, Banner & Buckle
 Buckle
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Rules for all 4-H and FFA Judging Contests

1. Eligibility

- a. Only Texas teams may enter the contest. 4-H team members must be from the same county. FFA members must be from the same Chapter. All participants must be enrolled in and attending Texas public or private school programs (including home school), with the exception of the Public Speaking Contest (see contest Special Rules). Enrolled college and university students are not eligible to participate.
- b. Each Agricultural Science Teacher (AST) or County Extension Agent (CEA) may enter as many teams as desired. Entry form must be submitted on-line by Dec. 1, 2010.
- c. Each team shall consist of three or four members, with the three highest scores being used for team scores.
- d. Individual contestants may compete for individual awards.
- e. Junior division contestants must be 8 years of age and not over 13 years of age as of August 31, 2010.
- f. Senior division contestants are 14 to 19 years of age as of August 31, 2010 and are enrolled in, and attending, public or private elementary or secondary schools in Texas.
- g. Each team and its age division must be designated and certified by an AST or CEA at the time of pre-registration. If one or more team members are in the senior division, the team and its individuals are considered all senior division.
- h. Each team member must turn in at registration a properly executed **LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT**. No contestant will be allowed to judge without this agreement.
- i. Only coaches, CEAs or ASTs, will be allowed to pick up registration packets. All packets for a FFA Chapter or a 4-H county must be picked up at the same time by the same person.

2. Conduct of Contestants

- a. 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.
- b. Only contestants and contest officials will be permitted in the contest area during the contest.
- c. Contestants must have their group letter clearly visible on their clothing.
- d. Contestants cannot smoke or use any tobacco products in contest facilities.
- e. Contestants should not monopolize any one exhibit for an unreasonable length of time.
- f. Contestants should not separate themselves from the class on which their group is working.
- g. Contestants should not in any way willfully obstruct the work of another contestant.
- h. If an ineligible contestant is permitted to judge, the team and individual members of that team will be ineligible for prizes. Furthermore, the AST or CEA who certified the eligibility of the team members, as well as the County 4-H or FFA Chapter, will be ineligible to enter another team for a period of three years.
- i. **No electronic communication devices will be allowed in contest area.**

1. **Scoring:** Scan sheets will be provided. 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. Ties will be broken on the consistency of judging all classes. If ties still exist, ranking with the ties will be the discretion of the contest superintendent(s).
2. **Results:** Results, as announced, are final.
5. **Pictures:** The top three teams and individuals in each contest must have their picture taken.

4-H and FFA Meat Judging Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Davey Griffin – College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Dr. Dan Hale – College Station, Texas

Sunday, March 6

Registration:	7:30 a.m.	Mims Meat Company
Contest starts:	8:30 a.m.	Mims Meat Company
Results and Awards:	2 p.m.	Mims Meat Company

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Meats Judging

- Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
- Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
In addition:
 - All contestants are required to be appropriately attired to enter a meat-processing establishment.
 - Contestants must provide their own hard hats, hairnets, beard nets if needed, and white laboratory coats. Close-toed shoes are required. Warm clothes should be worn.
 - Contestants will not be permitted to:
 - Bring items other than #2 pencil and an unmarked clipboard or manila folder
 - Handle any exhibit
 - Use any mechanical aid (ruler, calculator, light, etc.)
- Scoring:** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests) All contestants will be provided blank note paper for recording their results and/or calculations.
- Class Procedures:**
 - Classes -10 minutes will be allowed for each class. Contestants will have 2 minutes to observe the general appearance factors and will be given a warning of 1 minute before the time is up. No stand back period will be required for retail cut identification, retail cut classes and beef grading classes. Contestants will be given a 10-minute break to warm up and review notes for the questions portion of the contest. Notes cannot be used during the question session. Contestants will have 10 minutes to answer questions on two placing classes designated during the contest. (5 questions per class for a total of 10)
 - Exhibits within a class will be designated by numbers 1, 2, 3, and 4.
 - No oral reasons for this contest.
 - Movement of groups to each class will be controlled by the Superintendent
- Classes:**

	FFA	4-H
6 Placing Classes ¹	300	300
2 Beef Quality and Yield Grading Classes (3 carcasses per class) ²	120	0
4 Retail Cut Identification Classes (40 total cuts for FFA, 30 total cuts for 4-H) ³	240	300
1 Placing Question Class (5 questions on each of 2 classes) ⁴	50	50
Possible Individual Score	710	650

¹Placing classes will be selected from the following list:

- Beef carcasses
- Pork carcasses
- Lamb carcasses
- Beef wholesale cuts
beef ribs (IMPS #103 or #107), beef loins, beef rounds, beef short loins
- Pork wholesale cuts
fresh hams, pork loins
- Retail cuts
beef blade steaks, beef porterhouse steaks, beef T-bone steaks, beef lip-on ribeye steaks, beef sirloin steaks, pork blade chops, pork rib chops, pork loin chops, lamb blade chops, lamb loin chops, lamb sirloin chops

Every effort will be taken to not use more than two classes from any major group heading, (A - F); however, the official committee reserves the right to utilize the available product to produce the best classes possible.

²Beef grading will consist of two classes of three carcasses each to yield and quality grade. 4-H will participate in these classes solely as demonstration classes that will not count for their overall point total.

³4-H and FFA will participate in retail cut identification. FFA participants will mark their answers on the official FFA scan sheet. 4-H will mark their answers on the official 4-H scan sheet.

⁴Five questions on each of two classes shall be prepared by the official committee. The classes for questions will be identified to participants immediately prior to judging of the class. Questions should be derived from clear decisions that should be made while deciding the placing of the class. Questions will be written and administered to all participants as a class in the contest rotation or as the last class in the contest depending upon facility limitations.

6. **Results:** The contest results, as announced, will be final.

7. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:

- a. Overall High Point Team - Traveling trophy, members and coach receive belt buckles for both FFA and 4-H participants
- b. 4-H High Point Teams - Team places 1-5 receive a trophy
- c. FFA High Point Teams - Team places 1-5 receive a trophy
- d. 4-H Division - High point Individuals - First place receives a belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 will receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 will receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 will receive 7X9 plaques.
- e. FFA Division - High point Individuals - First place receives a belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 will receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 will receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 will receive 7X9 plaques.

4-H and FFA Floriculture Contest

Superintendent – Elyse Rodewald — Nacogdoches, Texas

Assistant Superintendent – Michael Maurer — Nacogdoches, Texas

Saturday, March 5

Registration:	7 a.m.	Reliant Center, TBA
Registration Ends:	7:45 a.m.	Reliant Center, TBA
Contest starts:	8 a.m.	Reliant Center, TBA
Results and Awards:	noon	Reliant Arena, TBA

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Floriculture

1. **Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
 2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
 3. **Scoring** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests) Contestants will be given scorecards.
 - a. Part 1 - Identification of Plant Materials.....500 points.
 - 50 specimens from the 100 plants listed on the Texas Floriculture Plant List are displayed for students to identify by scientific and common names.
 - A specimen may consist of any part of the plant.
 - Each plant specimen is designated with a number. Students bubble in the appropriate number from the Texas Floriculture Plant List in the space next to the specimen's number on the official scorecard.
 - 10 points are given for each correctly identified plant specimen.
 - 50 minutes (60 seconds per station).
 - b. Part 2 - Placing Classes.....300 points.
 - 6 classes are selected from the Placing Classes List.
 - All plants in a class are the same species or cultivar.
 - Some classes may contain cut flowers/greenery or container grown plants.
 - 1 class of line flowers.
 - 1 class of form flowers.
 - 1 class of mass flowers.
 - 1 class of blooming container plants.
 - 1 class of foliage container plants.
 - 1 class of floral designs.
 - 4 items per placing class.
 - Classes are designated by number and name.
 - 5 minutes to judge each class (30 minutes total).
 - 50 points per class.
 - c. Part 3 - General Knowledge Examination.....100 points.
 - 50 multiple choice questions taken from databank located on the IMS web site <www-ims.tamu.edu>
 - 30 minutes allowed for examination.
 - 2 points per question.
- Total Points Possible**
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| Individual | 900points |
| Team | 2,700 points |

4. Contest:

- a. Under no circumstances is any student allowed to touch or handle the plant materials used as part of the event. Any infraction of this policy is sufficient cause to eliminate the team from the event.
- b. Observers are not permitted in the event area while the event is in progress, but may be allowed in the area following the event.

- c. Team members must furnish their own pens or sharpened pencils for the event. A pencil sharpener may not be available in each event room. Battery operated calculators may be used and must be furnished by the team member. Sharing of calculators between team members will not be permitted. Electrical outlets will not be available for charging batteries, etc. No allowance will be made for malfunctioning or inoperable calculators.
 - d. The "Horticulture" scan sheet will be used for this contest.
- 5. **Results:** The contest results, as announced, will be final.
- 6. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team -Traveling trophy, members and coach receive Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckles.
 - b. High Point Teams - Team Places 1-5 receive a trophy
 - c. High Point Individuals - First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.

FLORICULTURE PLACING CLASSES

1. One class of line flowers, which may include:
Antirrhinum majus cv. – snapdragon
Gladiolus x hortulanus cv. – gladiolus
Liatris spicata – liatris
Matthiola incana – stock
2. One class of form flowers, which may include:
Anthurium andraeanum – anthurium
Gerbera jamesonii cv. – gerbera
Lilium cv. 'Stargazer' – Stargazer lily
Rosa cv. – rose
3. One class of mass flowers, which may include:
Chrysanthemum morifolium cv. – cushion (pompom) chrysanthemum
Chrysanthemum morifolium cv. – daisy chrysanthemum
Dianthus caryophyllus cv. – standard carnation
Freesia x hybrida – Freesia
4. One class of blooming container plants, which may include:
Kalanchoe blossfeldiana cv. – kalanchoe
Pelargonium x hortorum cv. – geranium
Rhododendron cv. – azalea
Saintpaulia ionantha cv. – African violet
Sinningia speciosa – gloxinia
5. One class of foliage container plants, which may include:
Crassula argentea – jade plant
Epipremnum aureum cv. – golden pothos, devil's ivy
Ficus benjamina 'Exotica' – Benjamin fig, weeping fig
Ficus elastica 'Decora' – Rubber tree
Nephrolepis exaltata cv. – Boston fern
6. One class of floral designs, which may include the following design styles:
Symmetrical triangle
Asymmetrical triangle
Crescent
Round

TEXAS FLORICULTURE PLANT LIST

1. *Achillea filipendulina* – Yarrow
2. *Adiantum* spp. – Maidenhair Fern
3. *Aechmea* cv. – Bromeliad
4. *Agapanthus africanus* – African Lily
5. *Aglaonema commutatum* cv. – Aglaonema, Chinese Evergreen
6. *Alpinia purpurata* – Ginger
7. *Alstroemeria aurantiaca* – Alstroemeria, Peruvian Lily
8. *Ammi majus* – Queen Anne's Lace
9. *Anthurium andraeanum* – Anthurium, Flamingo Flower
10. *Antirrhinum majus* cv. – Snapdragon
11. *Aphelandra squarrosa* – Zebra Plant
12. *Araucaria heterophylla* – Norfolk Island Pine
13. *Asparagus densiflorus* 'Myriocladus' – Ming Fern
14. *Asparagus densiflorus* 'Sprengeri' – Sprengeri Fern
15. *Asparagus setaceus* – Plumosa Fern
16. *Asplenium nidus* – Bird's Nest Fern
17. *Beaucarnea recurvata* – Ponytail Palm
18. *Begonia x tuberhybrida* cv. – Tuberous Begonia
19. *Brassaia actinophylla* – Schefflera, Octopus Tree
20. *Callistephus chinensis* hybrids – Aster
21. *Celosia argentea* cv. – Celosia, Cockscomb
22. *Chamaedorea elegans* – Parlor Palm, Chamaedor Palm
23. *Chamelaucium uncinatum* – Waxflower
24. *Chlorophytum comosum* var. – Spider Plant
25. *Chrysanthemum x morifolium* cv. – Florist's Chrysanthemum
26. *Codiaeum variegatum* cv. – Croton
27. *Consolida ambigua* cv. – Larkspur
28. *Cordyline terminalis* – Ti Plant
29. *Crassula argentea* – Jade Plant
30. *Cyclamen persicum* cv. – Florist's Cyclamen
31. *Cytisus scoparius* – Scotch Broom
32. *Delphinium elatum* – Delphinium
33. *Dianthus* cv. – Carnation
34. *Dieffenbachia* spp. – Dumbcane
35. *Dizygotheca elegantissima* – False Aralia
36. *Dracaena fragrans* 'Massangeana' – Corn Plant Dracaena
37. *Dracaena marginata* var. – Red-margined Dracaena, Dragon Tree
38. *Epipremnum aureum* cv. – Golden Pothos, Devil's Ivy
39. *Erica carnea* – Spring Heather
40. *Eucalyptus polyanthemos* – Silver Dollar Gum
41. *Euphorbia milii* var. – Crown of Thorns
42. *Euphorbia pulcherrima* cv. – Poinsettia
43. *Exacum affine* – German Persian Violet
44. *Ficus benjamina* 'Exotica' – Benjamin Fig, Weeping Fig
45. *Ficus elastica* 'Decora' – Rubber Tree
46. *Ficus lyrata* – Fiddleleaf Fig
47. *Forsythia x intermedia* – Forsythia
48. *Freesia x hybrida* – Freesia
49. *Galax urceolata* – Galax
50. *Gaultheria shallon* – Salal, Lemonleaf
51. *Gerbera jamesonii* cv. – Gerbera, Transvaal Daisy
52. *Gladiolus x hortulanus* cv. – Gladiolus
53. *Gypsophila elegans* cv. – Baby's Breath
54. *Hedera helix* cv. – English Ivy
55. *Helianthus annuus* cv. – Sunflower
56. *Hippeastrum x hybridum* cv. – Amaryllis
57. *Hoya carnosa* var. – Wax Plant
58. *Hyacinthus orientalis* cv. – Hyacinth
59. *Hydrangea macrophylla* – Hydrangea
60. *Iris* spp. – Iris
61. *Kalanchoe blossfeldiana* cv. – Kalanchoe
62. *Liatris spicata* – Liatris
63. *Lilium* cv. 'Stargazer' – Stargazer Lily
64. *Lilium longiflorum* cv. – Trumpet Easter Lily

65. *Limonium ferulaceum* – Caspia, Misty Blue
66. *Limonium sinuatum* cv. – Statice
67. *Lupinus* cv. – Lupine
68. *Maranta leuconeura* cv. – Prayer Plant
69. *Matthiola incana* – Stock
70. *Moluccella laevis* – Bells of Ireland
71. *Monstera deliciosa* – Split-leaf Philodendron
72. *Narcissus hybrid* – Daffodil
73. *Nephrolepis exaltata* cv. – Boston Fern
74. *Paeonia lactiflora* cv. – Peony
75. *Pelargonium x hortorum* cv. – Zonal Geranium
76. *Peperomia argyreia* – Watermelon Peperomia
77. *Phalaenopsis* cv. – Phalaenopsis, Butterfly Orchid
78. *Philodendron scandens oxycardium* – Heartleaf Philodendron
79. *Pittosporum tobira* cv. – Pittosporum, Mock Orange
80. *Plectranthus australis* – Swedish Ivy
81. *Polianthes tuberosa* – Tuberose
82. *Protea* cv. – Protea
83. *Rhododendron* cv. – Azalea
84. *Rosa* cv. – Hybrid Tea Rose
85. *Rumohra adiantiformis* – Leatherleaf Fern
86. *Saintpaulia ionantha* cv. – African Violet
87. *Salix discolor* cv. – Pussy Willow
88. *Salix matsudana* cv. – Curly Willow
89. *Sansevieria trifasciata* cv. – Sansevieria, Snake Plant
90. *Schlumbergera truncata* cv. – Thanksgiving Cactus
91. *Sinningia speciosa* cv. – Gloxinia
92. *Spathiphyllum* spp. – Spathiphyllum, Peace Lily
93. *Stephanotis floribunda* – Stephanotis, Bridal Wreath
94. *Strelitzia reginae* – Bird of Paradise
95. *Syngonium podophyllum* – Nepthytis
96. *Tulipa* cv. – Tulip
97. *Vaccinium ovatum* – Huckleberry
98. *Xerophyllum tenax* – Bear Grass
99. *Zantedeschia aethiopica* – Calla
100. *Zebrina pendula* cv. – Wandering Jew

4-H and FFA Nursery Landscape Contest

Superintendent – Jeff Adkins – Nacogdoches, Texas

Assistant Superintendent – Dawn Stover – Nacogdoches, Texas

Saturday, March 5

Registration:	7 a.m.	Reliant Center, TBA
Registration Ends:	7:45 a.m.	Reliant Center, TBA
Contest Begins:	8 a.m.	Reliant Center, TBA
Results and Awards:	noon	Reliant Arena, TBA

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Nursery/Landscape

1. **Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
3. **Scoring** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests) Contestants will be given scorecards.
 - a. Part 1 - Identification of Plant Materials.....500 points.
 - 50 specimens from the 100 plants listed on the Texas Nursery/Landscape Plant List are displayed for students to identify by scientific and common names.
 - A specimen may consist of any part of the plant.
 - Each plant specimen is designated with a number. Students bubble in the appropriate number from the Texas Nursery/Landscape Plant List in the space next to the specimen's number on the official scorecard.
 - 10 points are given for each correctly identified plant specimen.
 - 50 minutes (60 seconds per station).
 - b. Part 2 - Placing Classes.....300 points.
 - 6 classes are selected from the Placing Classes List.
 - All plants in a class are the same species or cultivar.
 - Some classes may be bare root; others may be balled-and-burlapped or container-grown.
 - 1 class of annual or herbaceous plants.
 - 1 class of deciduous trees.
 - 1 class of evergreen trees.
 - 1 class of shrubs.
 - 1 class of groundcovers and vines.
 - 1 class of landscape drawings with site analysis.
 - 4 items per placing class.
 - Classes are designated by number and name.
 - 5 minutes to judge each class, except for the class of landscape drawings with site analysis. Participants will have 10 minutes to judge this class. (35 minutes total)
 - 50 points per class.
 - c. Part 3 - General Knowledge Examination.....100 points.
 - 50 multiple choice questions taken from databank located on the IMS website <www-ims.tamu.edu>
 - 30 minutes allowed for examination.
 - 2 points per question.

Total Points Possible

Individual.....900 points

Team.....2,700 points

4. Contest:

- a. Under no circumstances is any student allowed to touch or handle the plant materials used as part of the event. Any infraction of this policy is sufficient cause to eliminate the team from the event.
- b. Observers are not permitted in the event area while the event is in progress, but may be allowed in the area following the event.
- c. Team members must furnish their own pens or sharpened pencils for the event. A pencil sharpener may not be available in each event room. Battery operated calculators may be used and must be furnished by the team member. Sharing of calculators between team members will not be permitted. Electrical outlets will not be available for charging batteries, etc. No allowance will be made for malfunctioning or inoperable calculators. Client analysis sheets will be provided for each contestant and collected at the end of each class.
- d. The "Horticulture" scan sheet will be used for this contest.

5. Results: The contest results, as announced, will be final.

6. Awards: The following prizes will be awarded:

- a. Overall High Point Team -Traveling trophy, members and coach receive Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckles.
- b. High Point Teams - Team Places 1-5 receive a trophy
- c. High Point Individuals - First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.

NURSERY/LANDSCAPE PLACING CLASSES

1. One class of annual or herbaceous plants, which may include:

Caladium x hortulanum cv. – caladium
Coleus x hybridus – coleus
Hemerocallis spp. – daylily
Impatiens wallerana – impatiens
Petunia x hybrida – petunia
Viola x wittrockiana cv. – pansy
Zinnia elegans – zinnia

2. One class of deciduous trees, which may include:

Betula nigra – river birch
Cercis canadensis – Eastern redbud
Lagerstroemia indica cv. – crape myrtle
Liquidambar styraciflua – sweet gum
Pyrus calleryana ‘Bradford’ – Bradford pear
Quercus shumardii – Shumard red oak
Taxodium distichum – bald cypress

3. One class of evergreen trees, which may include:

Ilex vomitoria – yaupon
Magnolia grandiflora – Southern magnolia
Pinus thunbergiana – Japanese black pine
Quercus virginiana – live oak
Thuja occidentalis – American arborvitae

One class of shrubs, which may include:

4. *Abelia x grandiflora* – glossy abelia
Euonymus japonica cv. – Japanese euonymus
Gardenia jasminoides – gardenia
Ilex cornuta – Chinese holly
Nandina domestica – heavenly bamboo
Pittosporum tobira – pittosporum
Raphiolepis indica cv. – Indian hawthorn

5. One class of groundcovers and vines, which may include:

Hedera helix cv. – English ivy
Juniperus horizontalis – creeping juniper
Liriope muscari – liriope
Lonicera japonica – Japanese honeysuckle
Trachelospermum asiaticum – Asiatic jasmine
Vinca minor – periwinkle

6. One class of landscape drawings with site analysis:

(Plants used in the designs are selected from the Texas Nursery/Landscape Plant List.)

TEXAS NURSERY/LANDSCAPE PLANT LIST

1. *Abelia x grandiflora* – Glossy Abelia
2. *Acalypha wilkesiana* – Copper Plant, Copperleaf
3. *Ajuga reptans* – Carpet Bugleweed
4. *Antirrhinum majus* cv. – Snapdragon
5. *Aquilegia x hybrida* cv. – Columbine
6. *Aucuba japonica* 'Variegata' – Gold Dust Aucuba
7. *Betula nigra* – River Birch
8. *Bougainvillea spectabilis* – Bougainvillea, Paper Flower
9. *Buxus microphylla* – Common Boxwood
10. *Caladium x hortulanum* cv. – Fancy Leaved Caladium
11. *Camellia japonica* – Japanese Camellia
12. *Campsis radicans* – Trumpet Vine
13. *Canna x generalis* – Canna Lily
14. *Carya illinoensis* – Pecan
15. *Cercis canadensis* – Eastern Redbud
16. *Chrysanthemum x morifolium* cv. – Chrysanthemum
17. *Clematis* sp. – Clematis
18. *Coleus x hybridus* – Coleus
19. *Colocasia esculenta* – Elephant Ear
20. *Cortaderia selloana* – Pampas Grass
21. *Cuphea hyssopifolia* – Mexican Heather
22. *Cycas revoluta* – Sago Palm
23. *Cynodon dactylon* spp. – Bermuda grass
24. *Dianthus chinensis* cv. – Dianthus, Chinese Pinks
25. *Elaeagnus pungens* – Pungent Elaeagnus, Silverthorn
26. *Eriobotrya japonica* – Loquat
27. *Euonymus japonica* cv. – Japanese Euonymus
28. *Evolvulus glomeratus* – Blue Daze
29. *Festuca* spp. cv. – Fescue
30. *Forsythia x intermedia* – Forsythia
31. *Gardenia jasminoides* – Gardenia
32. *Gazania splendens* – Gazania
33. *Ginkgo biloba* – Ginkgo, Maidenhair Tree
34. *Gladiolus x hortulanus* cv. – Gladiolus
35. *Hedera helix* cv. – English Ivy
36. *Hemerocallis* spp. – Daylily
37. *Hesperaloe parvifolia* – Red Yucca
38. *Hibiscus rosa-sinensis* – Chinese Hibiscus
39. *Hibiscus syriacus* – Althaea, Rose of Sharon
40. *Hosta* spp. – Hosta, Plantain Lily
41. *Hyacinthus orientalis* cv. – Hyacinth
42. *Hydrangea macrophylla* – Hydrangea
43. *Ilex cornuta* – Chinese Holly
44. *Ilex vomitoria* – Yaupon Holly
45. *Impatiens walleriana* – Impatiens
46. *Iris x germanica* – German Bearded Iris
47. *Juniperus horizontalis* cv. – Creeping Juniper
48. *Lagerstroemia indica* cv. – Crape Myrtle
49. *Lantana camara* cv. – Lantana
50. *Leucophyllum frutescens* cv. – Texas Sage
51. *Liatris spicata* – Liatris
52. *Ligustrum japonicum* – Waxleaf Ligustrum, Japanese Privet
53. *Liquidambar styraciflua* – Sweet Gum
54. *Liriope muscari* – Liriope, Lilyturf
55. *Lobularia maritima* – Sweet Alyssum
56. *Lonicera japonica* – Japanese Honeysuckle
57. *Lupinus texensis* – Texas Bluebonnet
58. *Magnolia grandiflora* – Southern Magnolia
59. *Mahonia aquifolium* cv. – Oregon Grape
60. *Mandevilla splendens* – Mandevilla
61. *Nandina domestica* – Heavenly Bamboo
62. *Nerium oleander* – Oleander
63. *Ophiopogon japonicus* – Mondo Grass
64. *Parthenocissus quinquefolia* – Virginia Creeper

65. *Pennisetum setaceum* 'Rubrum' – Purple Fountain Grass
66. *Petunia x hybrida* – Petunia
67. *Photinia x fraseri* – Redtip Photinia
68. *Pinus thunbergiana* – Japanese Black Pine
69. *Pittosporum tobira* cv. – Pittosporum, Mock Orange
70. *Platanus occidentalis* – Sycamore
71. *Plumbago auriculata* – Plumbago
72. *Portulaca grandiflora* – Portulaca, Moss Rose
73. *Prosopis glandulosa* – Mesquite
74. *Prunus cerasifera* – Purpleleaf Plum
75. *Pyracantha coccinea* cv. – Firethorn
76. *Pyrus calleryana* 'Bradford' – Bradford Pear
77. *Quercus macrocarpa* – Bur Oak
78. *Quercus shumardii* – Shumard Red Oak
79. *Quercus virginiana* – Live Oak
80. *Raphiolepis indica* cv. – Indian Hawthorn
81. *Rhododendron* cv. – Azalea
82. *Rosmarinus officinalis* – Rosemary
83. *Salvia officinalis* – Sage
84. *Salvia splendens* – Salvia
85. *Sapium sebiferum* – Chinese Tallow
86. *Sedum spectabile* – Fall Sedum
87. *Senecio cineraria* – Dusty Miller
88. *Sophora secundiflora* – Texas Mountain Laurel
89. *Stachys byzantina* – Lamb's Ear
90. *Stenotaphrum secundatum* – St. Augustine Grass
91. *Tagetes* sp. – Marigold
92. *Taxodium distichum* – Bald Cypress
93. *Taxus cuspidata* – Japanese Yew
94. *Thuja occidentalis* – American Arborvitae
95. *Trachelospermum asiaticum* – Asiatic Jasmine
96. *Ulmus crassifolia* – Cedar Elm
97. *Vinca minor* cv. – Periwinkle
98. *Viola x wittrockiana* cv. – Pansy
99. *Wisteria sinensis* cv. – Chinese Wisteria
100. *Zinnia elegans* – Zinnia

4-H and FFA Range and Pasture Plant Identification Contest

Superintendent – Barron Rector – College Station, Texas

Assistant Superintendent – Bob Knight – College Station, Texas

Saturday, March 5

Registration:	8 a.m.	Reliant Arena, TBA
Registration Ends:	8:45 a.m.	Reliant Arena, TBA
Contest starts:	9 a.m.	Reliant Arena, TBA
Results and Awards:	1 p.m.	Reliant Arena, TBA

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Range and Pasture Plant Identification

1. **Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
3. **Scoring** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests) Contestants will be given scorecards. Contestants will have 60 seconds per plant to identify the plant 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. Tie scores will be broken by the score on the pre-determined set of plants previously judged during the contest. This set of ten plants will be determined prior to the contest by show management. Judge's decisions will be final.
4. **Plants:**
 - a. Plants may be mounted specimens or live specimens placed on 4 rows of 10 tables.
 - b. Plants will be selected from the Master Plant List prepared by the Texas Agrilife Extension Service, the Agricultural Science Program, the Natural Resources Conservation Service, the Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts, and Show officials.
 - c. Copies of the plant list may be secured by writing to: Extension Range Specialist, Texas A&M University, 2138 TAMU, College Station, TX 77843-2138.
5. **Results:** The contest results, as announced, will be final.
6. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team -Traveling trophy, members and coach receive Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckles.
 - b. Senior High Point Teams - Team Places 1-5 receive a trophy
 - c. Junior High Point Teams - Team Places 1-5 receive a trophy.
 - d. Junior Division - High Point Individuals - First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.
 - e. Senior Division - High Point Individuals - First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.

4-H and FFA Horse Judging Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Pete Gibbs – College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Mike Heimer – Montgomery, Texas

Monday, March 7

Registration:	8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Great Southwest Equestrian Center – Katy, TX
Contest begins:	9:30 a.m.	Great Southwest Equestrian Center – Katy, TX
Results and Awards	Upon Completion of Reasons Contest	Great Shouthwest Equestrian Center – Katy, TX

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Horse Evaluation

1. **Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
3. **Scoring:** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
 - a. Eight classes will be judged with four animals each. Animals designated by numbers (1, 2, 3, 4).
 - b. Two to four classes will be halter and four to six classes will be performance.
 - c. Performance classes will be selected from the following:
Western Pleasure, Western Horsemanship, Hunter Under Saddle, Hunt Seat Equitation, Western Riding or Reining.
 - d. At the end of the eight judged classes, each contestant will answer a total of 10 questions from 2 classes.
Question classes will be announced at the conclusion of the judging and will be determined by the Contest Officials.
Paper note taking material will be allowed. Students must take notes on all eight classes in order to answer the questions.
 - e. Reasons will be required for 4-H contestants. 4-H Senior will give two sets of reasons(one halter/one performance). 4-H Juniors will give one set of reasons (one halter). Reasons will be given at the conclusion of class judging and questions.
 - f. FFA contestants may present reasons on a voluntary basis. FFA reasons scores will be tabulated separately and will not be factored into high individual overall and high team overall rankings.
 - g. Movement of groups to each class will be controlled by the Superintendent.
4. **Results:** The results, as announced, will be final.
5. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team - Traveling trophy, members and coach receive Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckles.
 - b. Senior High Point Teams - Team Places 1-5 receive a trophy.
 - c. Junior High Point Teams - Team Places 1-5 receive a trophy
 - d. Junior Division - High point Individuals - First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.
 - e. Senior Division - High point Individuals - First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.
 - f. Senior Division Reasons-Individuals- First place receives a Bobby Schmidt Memorial Cash Award in the amount of \$250. Places1-10 receive a 8X10 plaque.
 - g. Junior Division Reasons – Individuals – First place receives a cash award in the amount of \$250. Places1-10 receive a 8X10 plaque.
 - g. Overall High Point Individual – receives a N.W. “Dick” Freeman Memorial Cash Award in the amount of \$500.00
 - h. Overall Reserve High Point Individual – receives a N.W. “Dick” Freeman Memorial Cash Award in the amount of \$250.00.
6. **Location:** The 2011 Horse Judging Contest will take place at the Great Southwest Equestrian Center, located at 2501 South Mason Road, Katy, TX 77450. To view a directional map to the facilities, please visit the following link:
http://www.gswecc.com/html/location_map.html.

4-H and FFA Dairy Judging Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Glenn Holub – College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Ron Woolley – Stephenville, Texas

Sunday, March 13

Registration:	7 a.m.	Reliant Center – Superintendent's office
Contest Starts (with exam):	7:15 a.m.	Reliant Center - Main Arena
Live Judging:	8 a.m.	Reliant Center - Main Arena
Results and Awards:	10 a.m.	Reliant Center – Main Arena
Top 20 Reception	noon	Reliant Center - TBA

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Dairy Judging Contest

1. **Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
3. **Scoring:** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
4. **Classes:**
 - a. Four to six classes will be judged (200 – 300 points) – 12 minutes per class.
 - b. Two questions classes for a total of 10 questions. Questions classes will be designated during contest (50 points total – 5 points per question).
 - c. Written test consisting of 25 questions. Questions will be two points each. Questions will be derived from a list of 250 questions maintained by Tarleton State University Dairy Club. Exhibitors will be allowed 20 min. to complete written test. (50 pts). blambert@tarleton.edu
 - d. Movement of groups to each class will be controlled by the superintendent.
5. **Results:** The results, as announced, will be final.
6. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team -Traveling trophy, members and coach receive Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckles.
 - b. Senior High Point Teams: places 1-5 receive a trophy.
 - c. Junior High Point Teams: places 1-5 receive a trophy.
 - d. High Point Individuals – First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle, IW Marks Jewelers \$500 gift certificate, and a 9X12 plaque. Second place receives an IW Marks Jewelers \$250 gift certificate and a 9X12 plaque. Places 3 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11-20 receive 7X9 plaques.
 - f. Overall High Point Individuals, excluding high school seniors (12th grade) - \$1,250 Calf Scramble Certificate

Certificates will be awarded to the top 20 (overall combined Junior and Senior Divisions – excluding high school seniors – 12th grade) individuals that have never received a heifer certificate at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. The heifer certificates will be the only 20 given regardless of clerical errors or for any other reason. Winners who do not report to the Contest Superintendent within 15 minutes after the results have been announced will forfeit their purchase certificates and the next ranking winner will be moved up to receive the forfeited certificate. Any individual that is unable to attend the Awards Presentation because he/she is exhibiting an animal in a concurrent show MUST receive approval from the Contest Superintendent prior to the conclusion of the contest in order to receive the certificate. Winners of \$1,250 Heifer certificates will be taken to the Scramble Office following the Awards Presentation to complete the required forms. Beginning in 2011, winners of the \$1250 Scramble Certificate will be allowed to purchase a beef or dairy heifer (must be one of the approved Calf Scramble breeds), or a junior market steer. (See Calf Scramble section for complete rules and regulations.)

4-H and FFA Wildlife & Recreation Management Contest-WHEP Division

Superintendent – Dr. Larry Hysmith - College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Terry Blankenship – Sinton, Texas

Saturday, March 12

Registration:	7 a.m.	T&M Ranch
Registration Ends:	8:15 a.m.	T&M Ranch
Contest:	8:30 a.m.	T&M Ranch
Results and Awards:	4:30 p.m.	T&M Ranch

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules will prevail.

Special Rules for Wildlife Habitat Evaluation Contest

1. **Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
3. **Scoring:** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
4. **Classes:** bring a #2 pencil and unmarked clip board
 - a. wildlife identification
 - b. general species and habitat quiz
 - c. on-site habitat management recommendations
 - d. wildlife habitat management plan
5. Contest information has been gathered from the Wildlife Habitat Evaluation Handbook (www.whep.org)
6. **Contest:** The contest will be conducted at an outdoor site.
7. **Results:** The contest results, as announced, will be final.
8. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team – Traveling trophy plus members and coach receive Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ belt buckles.
 - b. Senior High Point Teams – Team Places 1-3 receive a trophy.
 - c. Junior High Point Teams – Team Places 1-3 receive a trophy.
 - d. Junior Division – High Point Individuals – First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques and places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques.
 - e. Senior Division – High Point Individuals – First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques and places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques.

4-H and FFA Wildlife & Recreation Management Contests-CDE Division

Superintendent – Joe Dettling - College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Dr. Jim Cathey – Uvalde, Texas

Saturday, March 12

Registration:	7 a.m.	T&M Ranch
Registration Ends:	8:15 a.m.	T&M Ranch
Contest:	8:30 a.m.	T&M Ranch
Results and Awards:	4:30 p.m.	T&M Ranch

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Special Rules for Wildlife Contest

1. **Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contestants)
3. **Scoring:** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contestants). Ties will be broken as per WRM CDE guidelines.
4. **Classes:** Bring a #2 pencil, unmarked clipboard, and compass. Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo will provide scan sheets for this event.
 - a. Question 1 – Plant Identification - State Plant List
 - b. Question 2 – Plant Preferences
 - c. Question 3 – Biological Facts Quiz
 - d. Question 4 – Wildlife Habitat Evaluation
 - e. Question 5 – Wildlife Habitat Practices
 - f. Question 6 – Texas Fish and Game Laws (Current edition, Texas Parks and Wildlife Outdoor Annual Hunting and Fishing Regulation).
 - g. Question 7 – Hunting, Fishing, Camping Safety, Boating Safety
 - h. Question 8 – Techniques
 - i. Question 9 – Compass and Pacing
5. Contest format will follow the State Wildlife and Recreation Management Study Guide, Catalog Order No. 4400, from Instructional Materials Service, Texas A&M University, 2588 TAMUS, College Station, Texas 77843-2588. Phone 979-845-6601.
6. **Contest:** Contestants will compete at an outdoor site. Contestants are to dress appropriately for the weather conditions. Only severe weather will cancel the event. Basic non-programmable calculators are permitted. The Superintendent reserves the right to remove any calculator that is considered inappropriate to be used in the contest.
7. **Results:** The results, as announced, will be final.
8. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team – Traveling trophy plus members and coach receive belt buckles.
 - b. High Point Team – Team Places 1-5 receive a trophy.
 - c. High Point Individuals – First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.

4-H and FFA Livestock Judging Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Chris Boleman – College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendents – Dr. Larry Boleman – College Station, Texas
and Paul Maulsby – College Station, Texas

Tuesday, March 15

Registration:	11 a.m.	Sales Pavilion
Contest Starts:	12:30 p.m.	Reliant Arena - Hall A & B
Results and Awards:	4 p.m.	Sales Pavilion
Top 20 Reception:	6 p.m.	Reliant Arena

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Livestock Judging

1. **Eligibility:** (See eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
3. **Scoring:** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
4. **Classes:**
 - a. Eight live animal classes (400 points). One set of ten questions (50 points). Contest will consist of (450 points).
 - b. Animals within a class will be designated by numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4
 - c. No oral reasons for this contest. Questions come from at least 3 of the placing classes
 - d. The species that will make up the contest include: beef cattle, swine, sheep, and meat goats.
5. **Results:** The contest results, as announced, will be final.
6. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team in both divisions – Traveling trophy, members and coach receive Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckles.
 - b. Senior High Point Teams – Team places 1-5 receive a trophy
 - c. Junior High Point Teams – Team places 1-5 receive a trophy
 - d. Junior Division – High Point Individuals – First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle and 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, and places 6 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.
 - e. Senior Division – High Point Individuals – First place receives a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckle, Waggoner belt buckle, and an IW Marks Jewelers \$500 gift certificate, Second place receives an IW Marks Jewelers \$250 gift certificate, and a 9X12 plaque. Places 3 through 10 will receive 9X12 plaques and places 11 through 25 will receive 7X9 plaques.
 - f. Overall High Point Individuals, excluding high school seniors (12th grade) - \$1,250 Calf Scramble Certificate

Certificates will be awarded to the top 20 (combined Junior and Senior Divisions - excluding high school seniors – 12th grade) who have never received a heifer certificate at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. The heifer certificates will be the only 20 given regardless of clerical errors or for any other reason. Winners who do not report to the Contest Superintendent within 15 minutes after the results have been announced will forfeit their purchase certificates and the next ranking winner will be moved up to receive the forfeited certificate. Any individual that is unable to attend the Awards Presentation because he/she is exhibiting an animal in a concurrent show MUST receive approval from the Contest Superintendent prior to the conclusion of the contest in order to receive the certificate. Winners of the \$1,250 Beef Heifer certificates will be taken to the Scramble Office following the Awards Presentation to complete the required forms. A short donor reception will follow. Beginning in 2011, winners of the \$1250 Scramble Certificate will be allowed to purchase a beef or dairy heifer (must be one of the approved Calf Scramble breeds), or a junior market steer. (See Calf Scramble section for complete rules and regulations.)



4-H and FFA Poultry Judging Contest

Superintendents - Dale Hyatt — College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent - Jason Lee — College Station, Texas

Saturday, March 12

Registration:	7 a.m.	Behind Main Arena
Contest:	8 a.m.	Main Arena
Results & Awards:	1 p.m.	East End of East Arena

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Poultry Judging Contest

1. **Eligibility:** See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contest.
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests).
3. **Scoring:** See scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests.
4. **Classes:** The classes of birds, eggs, market poultry, and poultry examination will be similar to those used in the Texas FFA Poultry Career Development Events (judging contests). The manual used in FFA is titled POULTRY SCIENCE MANUAL FOR NATIONAL FFA CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS, 5th Ed. (#0418-3). It may be purchased from Instructional Materials Service (IMS), Texas A&M University, F.E. Box 2588, College Station, Texas 77843-2588; (979) 845-6601. Portions of this book are used in the Texas FFA Poultry Judging Contest. Slide sets showing essentials for grading eggs, grading carcasses, and selecting and placing birds are available from IMS.

The contest classes are as follows:

- Class 1: Eight 6 to 12 week old broiler breeder meat-type cockerels or pullets for broiler breeder selection (50 points, no oral reasons).
 - Class 2: Four (4) past production egg-type hens for placing (50 points, no oral reasons)
 - Class 4: Ten (10) ready-to-cook broiler carcasses graded according to USDA grading standards (50 points, no oral reasons).
 - Class 5: Four (4) turkey carcasses for placing (50 points, no oral reasons).
 - Class 7: Ten (10) Chicken eggs for interior quality grading (50 points, no oral reasons).
 - Class 8: Ten (10) shell eggs for exterior quality grading (50 points, no oral reasons).
 - Class 9: Evaluative criteria for class 8 (50 points, no oral reasons).
 - Class 10: Ten (10) further –processed poultry meat products for evaluative criteria (100 points, no oral reasons).
 - Class 11: Ten (10) poultry carcass parts for identification (50 points, no oral reasons).
 - Class 12: Written Examination (100 points). 25 minutes allowed.
5. **Handling:** All live animals, eggs, and carcasses must be handled with the utmost care and respect, or the participant will be removed from the contest and disqualified. Rough handling of materials will result in disqualification from the contest.
 6. **Class Time Limits:** Each participant will have 14 minutes to complete each class. There will be a two minute warning alerting the participant of the approaching end of the 14 minute period. The participants will have one minute to move from class to class.
 7. **Results:** The results, as announced, will be final.
 8. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team: traveling trophy plus members and coach receive belt buckles.
 - b. High Point Team – Team Places 1-5 receive a trophy.
 - c. High Point Individuals – First place receives a belt buckle and a 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.

4-H and FFA Wool Judging Contest

Superintendent – Brian May – San Angelo, Texas

Tuesday, March 15

Registration:	11 a.m.	Reliant Center, TBA
Contest Begins:	1 p.m.	Reliant Center, TBA
Results and Awards:	4 p.m.	Sales Pavilion

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special rules prevail.

Special Rules Wool Judging Contest

1. **Eligibility:** (See Eligibility for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
2. **Conduct of Contestants:** (See Conduct of Contestants for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
3. **Scoring:** (See Scoring for all 4-H and FFA Contests)
4. **Classes:**
 - a. 20 fleeces will be evaluated for fineness, length, and yield. Each fleece will be worth 10 points and participants will be given 1.5 minutes per fleece. (200 points)
 - b. Four classes of four fleeces each will be placed, two commercial and two breeds. (200 points)
 - c. Participants will be asked questions on each class. Participants will be given 15 minutes to place and fill out reasons on each class. (200 points)
 - d. The use of any type of measuring device will not be allowed. Mishandling of fleeces will cause the team to be disqualified.
5. **Results:** The contest results, as announced, will be final.
6. **Awards:** The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. Overall High Point Team-Traveling Trophy, members and coach receive Houston livestock Show and Rodeo belt buckles.
 - b. High Point Teams- Team places 1-5 receive a trophy.
 - c. High point Individuals- First place receives a belt buckle and an 9X12 plaque. Places 2 through 5 receive 9X12 plaques, places 6 through 10 receive 8X10 plaques, and places 11 through 20 receive 7X9 plaques.

Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest

Superintendent – James Henderson – Childress, Texas

Assistant Superintendents – Randall Garrett – New Braunfels, Texas and Lyle Malechek – Mt. Belvieu, Texas

Coaches Meeting:	Friday	March 4	8 p.m.	Pace Chuck Wagon Corral
Registration (Division B):	Saturday	March 5	6 a.m.	Mims Meat Company
Contest (Division B):	Saturday	March 5	7 a.m.	Mims Meat Company
Registration (Division A):	Saturday	March 5	8 a.m.	Mims Meat Company
Contest (Division A):	Saturday	March 5	9 a.m.	Mims Meat Company
Awards Breakfast:	Sunday	March 6	8 a.m.	Reliant Arena – TBA

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest

1. Eligibility:

- a. **Entry Fees and Procedures:** An entry fee of \$100 per team (4 members per team) plus \$30 for each additional individual will be charged for entering this contest. Junior and Senior colleges will be allowed to enter additional individual contestants.
- b. **Entry Deadline is February 5, 2011.** Entries and payment may be submitted online at www.rodeohouston.com. Indemnities and W-9's must be submitted separately. Teams entering after February 5 will be issued an additional \$50 late fee per team or individual. No entries will be accepted after February 15.
- c. Schools may enter two (2) teams and as many other individuals as entry fees are paid for.
- d. All individuals will compete for individual awards and designated teams will compete for team awards.
- e. Contest is open to agricultural colleges and universities and to any other higher educational institutions where instruction in meat grading and meat judging are included as a regular part of the curriculum.
- f. There will be two divisions in the contest. Any school has the opportunity to determine whether they participate in Division A or Division B.
- g. Division A will answer questions on classes from the first part of the contest and will not participate in the specification class.
- h. Division B will write reasons on classes from the first part of the contest and the specification class will count as part of the overall score.
- i. A team will consist of four (4) members to be designated by their respective coach at time of registration.
- j. Any contestant must be an undergraduate student who has not competed in an Intercollegiate Meat Judging Contest prior to the current calendar year. Contestants must be a regularly enrolled student in the school they are representing and have successfully completed at least one semester or quarter's work. The contestant must never have served as an instructor in any college, university, or secondary school. Each participating institution shall certify its own contestants and adjudge their eligibility.

2. Conduct of Contestants:

- a. Contestants will move from exhibit to exhibit during the contest in six separate groups.
- b. A group leader will be provided for each squad of contestants. The leader's duty will be to enforce the contest rules and keep the exhibits of the class on which his group is working in an orderly arrangement.
- c. Contestants will not be permitted to:
 - A. Handle any exhibit.
 - B. Use any mechanical aid, such as measure or light, etc.
 - C. Talk to fellow team members at any time during the contest, including the lunch hours.
 - D. Smoke, except as permitted.
 - E. Monopolize any one exhibit for an unreasonable length of time.

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- F. Separate themselves from the class on which their group is working.
- G. In any way willfully obstruct the work of any other contestant.

3. Writing Reasons and Answering Questions:

- a. Division A will answer questions for the morning classes. Questions will pertain to the quality, yield, or other differences between each carcass or wholesale cut. There will be five question classes with 10 questions per class. Each question will be worth five points for a total of 50 points per class. Each accurate answer will receive five points. Incorrect answers will receive zero points. After all classes have been placed, contestants will retire to a suitable warm room for a 15 minute review of notes. Approximately four minutes will be given to answer 10 questions per class.
- b. Division B will write reasons on each of the morning judging classes. Each set of reasons will carry a possible 50 points and will be graded by a member of the official Committee.
- c. After all reasons and question classes have been placed, contestants will retire to a suitable warm room for a 30 minute review of notes. Fifteen minutes will be allowed to write each set of reasons on the five classes.
- d. A period of three minutes with pencils down will be observed before writing reasons, and four minutes before answering questions on each class to allow contestants to review their notes on the next class. Notes may be referred to during the period reasons are being written, but not while answering questions.
- e. A two minute warning will be given after 13 minutes have elapsed for writing reasons.

4. Supplies: All blank forms, Placing Cards, Reasons Cards, and notes for reasons or questions sheets will be provided by the contest administration. Clipboards, pens, pencils, white frocks, cooler coats, and suitable head cover shall be provided by the contestants or their institution.

5. Time:

- a. 15 minutes will be allowed in the cooler for note-taking and placing each of the five reasons and questions classes. Contestants will stand back from all classes for four minutes to review general appearance factors. 15 minutes also will be allowed for beef quality grading with no stand back required.
- b. 10 minutes will be allowed for judging each of the four non-reason classes.
- c. Two uninterrupted periods, or 20 minutes will be allowed for yield grading the 15 beef carcasses and for the 10 specifications cuts, except that contestants will observe the change of classes whistle by remaining back from the second half until the next class is started.
- d. A two minute warning for reasons/questions classes and a one minute warning for non-reasons/questions classes will be given, at which signal contestants must stand back from all placing classes.
- e. All placing and grading cards will be collected immediately by each group leader after time has been called.

6. Classes and Scoring:

	Possible Placing Score	Possible Reason Or Question Score
Beef		
Reason Beef Carcasses	50	50
Non-Reason Beef Carcass Pricing	50	
Reason Beef Cuts	50	50
Non-Reason Beef Cuts	50	
Pork		
Reason Pork Carcasses	50	50
Non-Reason Pork Carcasses	50	
Fresh Hams	50	50
Pork Cuts	50	
Lambs and/or Goats		
Reason Lamb and/or Goat Carcasses	50	50
Non-Reason Lamb and/or Goat Carcasses	50	
Specifications - (B Division Only)		
10 Cuts	100	
Beef Carcass - Quality Grading		
15 Carcasses	150	
Beef Carcass - Yield Grading		
15 Carcasses	150	

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Possible Individual Score

A Division..... 1050
B Division.....1150

7. **Awards:** Awards apply to both Divisions A and B, except where noted otherwise.

High Team - Division A Only	John Bellinger Award
Overall High Team.....	Traveling Trophy
Overall Team - Places 1 & 2.....	Trophy
Overall Team - Place 1 (Coach & 4 Members).....	Plaque
Top Ten Individuals – Overall.....	Plaque
High Individual - Each Division	Trophy
Top Ten Individuals –Each Division.....	Plaques
Overall Beef - High Team & High Individual	Trophy
Beef Judging - High Team & High Individual	Trophy
Beef Grading - High Team & High Individual.....	Trophy
Lamb/Goat Judging - High Team & High Individual.....	Trophy
Pork Judging - High Team & High Individual	Trophy
Total Placing - High Team & High Individual	Trophy
Specifications - High Team & High Individual – Division B Only	Trophy
Total Questions Division A - High Team & High Individual	Trophy
Total Reasons Division B - High Team & High Individual.....	Trophy

* Top Five individuals in overall beef, beef judging, beef grading, lamb/goat judging, pork judging, total placing, specifications, total questions and total reasons will receive a rosette.

Junior and Senior Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Chris Skaggs – College Station, Texas

**Assistant Superintendents – Dr. David Forrest – College Station, Texas; Dr. Chris Boleman – College Station, Texas; and
David Waggoner – Houston, Texas**

Coaches Dinner*:	Monday	March 14	8 p.m.	Pace Chuck Wagon Corral
Registration:	Tuesday	March 15	7 a.m.	Reliant Arena Sales Pavilion
Contest:	Tuesday	March 15	7:30 a.m.	Reliant Arena – Hall A & B
Awards Breakfast:	Wednesday	March 16	7:30 a.m.	TBA

* Coaches who do not attend the Coaches Dinner must notify the Agricultural Exhibits & Competition Department by 5 p.m. Friday, March 11, of their intentions to either enter or to withdraw from the contest. Failure to do so will result in disqualification from this and future contests.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Junior and Senior Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest

All Rules are subject to the Constitution and By-Laws of the national Junior College Livestock Coaches Association.

- 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 this 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.
 - Entry Fees and Procedures:** An entry fee of \$100 per team (6 members per team) plus \$30 for each additional individual will be charged for entering this contest. Junior and Senior colleges will be allowed to enter additional individual contestants.
- Entry Deadline is February 5, 2011.** Entries and payment may be submitted online at www.rodeohouston.com. Indemnities and W-9's must be submitted separately. Teams entering after February 5 will be issued an additional \$50 late fee per team or individual. No entries will be accepted after February 15.
- Coaches Meeting:** Coaches will designate their team members at the Coaches' Meeting, following the Coaches' Dinner.
 - Junior Eligibility / Team Makeup:** Each Junior team will consist of six members. The five highest scores will count for the team total. Each team member is eligible for individual awards. Junior college individual participants designated as alternates will be eligible for individual overall awards, but ineligible to compete for team or team member individual awards. 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 for which they are competing, or not attended any 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.
 - Senior Team:** Each Senior team will consist of six members. The five highest scores 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, but ineligible to compete for team or team member individual 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.
 - Future Contests:** Contestants entering this contest will not be eligible to enter future Junior Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contests held at the Houston Livestock Show, but may be eligible to enter the Senior Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest if they transfer to a Senior 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.

Intercollegiate Livestock Judging Contest

9. **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: one or two classes of market lambs and one or two classes of breeding sheep (fine wool or medium wool), and one market or breeding goat class for a total of four sheep and goat classes, two classes of market steers and three classes of breeding cattle for a total of five classes of cattle; two classes of market barrows and one class of breeding swine for a total of three swine classes. When available, records may be used for evaluation of breeding classes.
10. **Time:** On each class of livestock, 15 minutes will be allowed for the contestants 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 to present their oral reasons. Contestants will be notified two minutes before the time is up. When final time is called, the contestants will immediately hand their score cards to the group leader.
11. **Class Change:** Each group of contestants will change to another class as directed by the Superintendent and/or group leader.
12. **Oral Reasons:** After placing all classes in the contest, the contestants will each appear before judges to give oral reasons substantiating their placings on the following classes: two classes of breeding beef cattle; two classes of market steers; one class of market lambs; one class of breeding sheep; one class of market barrows and one class of breeding swine. Each contestant will be allowed two minutes to give his/her reasons on each class. Contestants will not be allowed to hold any paper, card, or device of any kind to assist in reasons presentation.
13. **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.
14. **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.
15. **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.
16. **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.
17. **Scoring:** Scan sheets used for scoring are provided by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™. Standard rules that apply to optical scanning should be followed (blacken only one bubble per class, completely blacken the bubble, avoid stray marks, do not fold or bend). 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.
18. **Awards:**
 - High Point Team - Overall..... (Traveling Trophy)
 - Team Overall Points - Places 1, 2, & 3..... (Trophy)
 - High Point Team - Placings..... (Trophy)
 - High Point Team - Oral Reasons (Trophy)
 - High Point Team – Goat..... (Traveling Trophy)
 - High Point Team - Places 1, 2, & 3 - Beef Cattle (Trophy)
 - High Point Team - Places 1, 2 & 3 – Sheep & Goat..... (Trophy)
 - High Point Team - Places 1, 2 & 3 - Swine (Trophy)
 - High Point Individual Overall Contest..... (Waggoner Belt Buckle)
 - High Individuals - Overall Contest - Places 1 through 10 Plaque
 - High Individuals - Cattle, Sheep & Goat, Swine, Placings, and Oral Reasons
- Places 1,2,&3..... Plaque
 - Top Five Alternates - Senior and Junior College Alternate Contest Plaque

* Top ten individuals in cattle judging, sheep judging, swine judging, oral reasons, and placings will receive a rosette.

* Awards are presented per each division.

Intercollegiate Wool Judging Contest

Superintendent – Brian May – San Angelo, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Faron Pfeiffer – San Angelo, Texas

Coaches' Dinner	Monday	March 14	8 p.m.	Pace Chuck Wagon Corral
Registration:	Tuesday	March 15	9 a.m.	TBA
Contest:	Tuesday	March 15	10 a.m.	TBA
Awards Breakfast:	Wednesday	March 16	7:30 a.m.	TBA

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Intercollegiate Wool Judging Contest

1. Eligibility:

- Open to agricultural colleges and universities which offer a degree in animal science.
- Each school will be permitted to enter two teams. The three highest scores will count for all team totals. The low scoring individual will be considered the alternate and will be eligible for any individual awards.
- A team will consist of a minimum of three and maximum of four members. A contestant must have been regularly enrolled in their respective colleges since Oct. 1, 2010. The contestant must never have served as an animal science instructor in any college, university, or secondary school. Applications for entry must be signed officially by the team coach, certifying that all team members are eligible for entry in this contest.
- Contestants entering this contest will not be eligible to enter future Wool Judging Contests at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

2. Entry Fees:

An entry fee of \$100 will be charged for entering this contest. Junior and Senior colleges will be allowed to enter additional Individual contestants for a fee of \$30 per individual.

Entry Deadline is February 5, 2011. Entries and payment may be submitted online at www.rodeohouston.com. Indemnities and W-9's must be submitted separately. Teams entering after February 5 will be issued an additional \$50 late fee per team or individual. No entries will be accepted after February 15.

3. Conduct of Contestants:

- Coaches and alternate team members will not be allowed to see the classes until after the official judges have given their reasons.
- Contestants are warned against rough handling of contest fleeces. Any contestant who violates this rule will be asked to place the remainder of the classes without handling. No warning will be given.
- 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.
- Contestants or coaches violating the rules will be barred from competition and their team disqualified.

4. Classes: The classes to be judged are as follows:

- Two classes of breed fleeces. Fleeces will be placed on the basis of breed requirements. Reasons to be given on one class.
- Four classes of commercial fleeces. Fleeces will be placed according to commercial requirements. Reasons to be given on one class.
- A class of 15 fleeces will be scored for grade, spinning counts present, length character, purity, and yield. Reasons will not be given on this class. Contestants will submit their findings on an official Grade Sheet.
- 15 minutes will be allowed for the placing of each class of four fleeces. A minimum of 45 minutes will be allowed for scoring the class of 15 fleeces. Each contestant will be allowed two and one-half minutes per fleece and seven and one half minutes to reexamine any or all of the 15 fleeces.

5. Awards:

Wool Awards

Team Overall Points - Wool Judging - Places 1 & 2.....Trophy
High Individuals - Overall Judging - Places 1 through 10.....Plaque
High Individuals - Placing & Reasons - Places 1 through 10.....Plaque
High Individuals - Grading - Places 1 through 10.....Plaque

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Public Speaking Contest

Superintendent – David Waggoner – Hillsboro, TX

Contestant Check-In	Sunday	March 13	8 a.m.	Reliant Center – Room TBA
Preliminary Contest:	Sunday	March 13	9 a.m.	Reliant Center – Room TBA
Finals Contestant Check-In:	Monday	March 14	8 a.m.	Reliant Center – TBA
Finals Contest:	Monday	March 14	9 a.m.	Reliant Center – Room TBA
Results & Awards:	Monday	March 14	1 p.m.	Reliant Center – TBA

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Agricultural Public Speaking Contest

1. Entry: An entry fee of \$20 made payable to HLS&R will be charged. Entries may now be submitted online or by paper entry. Both the online entry link and paper forms can be found at www.rodeohouston.com. Online entries must be submitted prior to midnight, December 1, 2010 and paper entries, Indemnities and W-9 forms must be postmarked by December 1, 2010. A complete entry **MUST INCLUDE:** Exhibitor W-9, statement of originality, and official entry application. All forms **MUST** be complete. Forms with missing information will be considered incomplete entries and will not be accepted. **Any changes to the entry (e.g. Speech Title or Division) must be sent to the Livestock Office prior to March 1. Changes may be submitted via fax or regular mail, or by email to fisher@rodeohouston.com. A new statement of originality and/or entry form documenting the change must be attached.**

2. Eligibility: This event is open to students, ages 9-18 years of age, as well as students in the 3rd grade who have reached their eighth birthday as of August 31, 2010, who are members of 4-H or FFA who meet all Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Junior Show Rules and Requirements or who are attending public school in Harris, Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Montgomery or Waller Counties. Contestants must be passing all subjects for the semester or grading period immediately preceding the contest as certified by the school official on the entry form.

Junior Division participants must be between the ages of 9 and 13 or students in the third grade who have reached their eighth birthday on or before August 31, 2010.

Senior Division participants must be between the ages of 14 and 18 on or before August 31, 2010.

3. Contest Format: The event will be held in the following contest format:

- The contest will be held over a two-day period with the Preliminary Contest on Sunday, March 13, 2011; followed by the Finals Contest on Monday, March 14, 2011.
- Contestants in each division will be divided into groups depending on their category entered.
- The top Junior contestant in each division will advance to the finals to compete for Overall Junior Division winner and the top Senior contestant in each division will advance to the finals to compete for Overall Senior Division winner.
- Contestants will draw to determine placement in both rounds.

4. Documentation: Each contestant must provide the following items, to the superintendent, to be eligible to speak:

A) Manuscript: Three typewritten copies of the speech manuscript on 8 1/2 x 11 paper, stapled in the top left hand corner. The manuscript must be the result of the student's own effort and follow the MLA or APA style.

B) Bibliography: A complete and accurate bibliography used in writing the speech must be attached to the manuscript and also follow the MLA or APA style.

C) A statement of originality signed by the contestant, parent(s), and AST/CEA or teacher must be attached to the entry application to be considered a complete entry.

D) If a contestant does not follow the documentation guidelines outlined, point deductions will be taken at the discretion of the Superintendent, Show Management and Judges.

5. Dress Attire: Contestants should be in presentable attire. Business attire or Official 4-H/FFA attire is recommended.

6. Time: Each speech shall be a minimum of six minutes in length and a maximum of eight minutes. Time point deductions will apply as follows:

Under six minutes -- one point per ten seconds

Over eight minutes - one point per ten seconds

7. Question/Answer Period: A five -minute question-answer period will follow each speech. At the end of five minutes, time will be called, all questioning will end. If time is called during the student's answer to the last question, the contestant may complete his or her answer.

8. Props: The use of props of any kind is prohibited. Violation will result in disqualification.

Public Speaking Contest

9. Speech Divisions: Each contestant will enter their speech in one of seven divisions. A contestant may enter in one division only. There are subject matters, which may be appropriate in more than one division. The division the student wishes to enter and the speech title must be submitted via e-mail to livestock@rodeohouston.com no later than February 5, 2011. Final determination of all speeches will be at the discretion of the Superintendent and Show Management.

Divisions:

Western Heritage: Any current or future subject that deals with topics such as Western history, culture or heritage.

Natural Resources: Any current or future subject that deals with topics such as soil, water, air, water quality, wildlife, forestry, aquaculture, conservation, recreation, recycling, energy environmental issues, etc.

Animal Science: Any current or future subject that deals with any aspects of the dairy, equine, poultry, sheep, goat, swine, beef or specialty animal industries.

Plant Science: Any current or future subject that deals with 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.

Agribusiness: Any current and future subject that deals with topics such as cooperatives, sales, service, communications, entrepreneurship, marketing, finance, commodities, hedging, advertising, etc.

Agricultural Policy: Any current or future subject that deals with topics such as domestic farm issues, international trade, international competition, rural economic development, legal issues, animal rights, subsidies, price supports, etc.

Agriscience: Any current or future subject that deals with topics such as biotechnology, biogenetics, bioengineering, mechanical engineering, new agri-technology applications, global positioning and other satellite technology, computer applications, etc.

10. Results: The contest results, as announced, will be final.

11. Awards: The following prizes will be awarded in the Junior and Senior divisions:

Senior Division

First Place.....	\$700, Felt Banner, and plaque
Second Place.....	\$400, Felt Banner, and plaque
Third Place.....	\$300, Felt Banner, and plaque
Fourth Place.....	\$200
Fifth Place.....	\$150

Junior Division

First Place.....	\$700, Felt Banner, and plaque
Second Place.....	\$400, Felt Banner, and plaque
Third Place.....	\$300, Felt Banner, and plaque
Fourth Place.....	\$200
Fifth Place.....	\$150

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Quality Counts Multi-Media Contest

Superintendent – Kevin Chilek – College Station, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Brandon Callis – College Station, Texas

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Quality Counts Video Contest



1. Entry: An entry fee of \$20 made payable to HLS&R will be charged. Entries may now be submitted online or by paper entry. Both the online entry link and paper forms can be found at www.rodeohouston.com. Online entries must be submitted prior to midnight December 1, 2010 and paper entries as well as the Indemnity Form, W-9 and the content entered must be postmarked prior to December 1, 2010.

2. Eligibility: This event is open to students, ages 9-18 years of age as of August 31, 2010, who are members of 4-H or FFA who meet all Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Junior Show Rules and Requirements. Group entries are not accepted. Contestants must be passing all subjects for the semester or grading period immediately preceding the contest as certified by the school official on the entry form.

3. Entry Requirement: Any multimedia content originally produced by the contestant depicting ethical behavior with livestock, or video presentation of stump speech on ethical principals related to Quality Counts will be accepted. Entries must be submitted in one of the following formats: DVD video, Quicktime movie (.mov) or Windows Media (.avi). A minimum video resolution of 720 x 480 pixels is required.

4. Time: Each video shall be a minimum of three minutes in length and a maximum of six minutes. Points will be deducted for time violations.

5. Judging Criteria: Each contestant will be judged on the following criteria:

- a) Incorporation of the 6 pillars of character
- b) Inclusion of livestock managing principals
- c) Relation to youth livestock exhibition
- d) Originality, creativity, and use of technology

6. Results: The top 10 contestants will be notified of their placing via mail prior to March 1, 2011. The top 3 videos will be showcased at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ Champion Row and Main Cattle Arena in Reliant Center periodically throughout the Show. Contest results, as announced, will be final. HLSR reserves the right to edit the top 3 winning entries before showcasing them in Champion Row.

7. Awards: The following prizes will be awarded:

First Place.....	\$750 and Plaque
Second Place.....	\$550 and Plaque
Third Place.....	\$350 and Plaque
Fourth Place-Tenth Place.....	Plaque

National 4-H & FFA Beef Quiz Bowl Invitational Contest

Superintendent – Kevin Chilek-College Station, Texas

Presented by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo

Guided Tours/Lunch/ Orientation	Tuesday	March 1	11:30 a.m.	George Ranch
Quiz Bowl Registration	Tuesday	March 2	8 a.m.	Reliant Center-Room TBA
Quiz Bowl Orientation	Wednesday	March 2	8:30 a.m.	Reliant Center-Room TBA
Preliminary Rounds	Wednesday	March 2	9:00 a.m.	Reliant Center-Room TBA
Finals	Wednesday	March 2	Upon completion of Preliminary Rounds	Reliant Center-Room TBA
Awards Presentation	Wednesday	March 2	Upon completion of Finals	Reliant Center-Room TBA

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

1. Eligible Entries:

- Each state is invited to enter three (3) 4-H teams and three (3) FFA teams of up to four (4) contestants. Entry forms must be completed and returned, with a \$100 entry fee per team, to HLSR by December 1st.
- Contestants must have reached their 14th birthday but not their 19th birthday by August 31st, 2010.
- Contestants must not have completed post-secondary coursework in subject areas of the national 4-H or FFA Beef Quiz Bowl Contest, nor has he or she participated in training for post-secondary competition in subject areas of the national 4-H - FFA Beef Quiz Bowl Contest.
- Any contestant enrolled in post-secondary education must submit a transcript of completed and/or enrolled coursework with entry materials.
- All contestants must be members in good standing of 4-H or FFA in the state that they are representing during the contest.
- All contestants and teams of contestants must be certified as an official state entry by the State 4-H or FFA Leader or by a person designated as such.

2. Maximum Entries: A team will consist of three (3) or four (4) contestants.

3. Entry Forms: Entry forms will be mailed to state 4-H leaders and FFA teachers in October 2010. Completed entry forms and a \$100 entry fee per team must be mailed to the Houston Livestock Show, postmarked on or before **December 1, 2010**. All entry documentation and payment must be mailed to the HLSR Livestock Entry Office at Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, P.O. Box 20070, Houston, TX 77225-0070.

4. Texas 4-H Quiz Bowl Guidelines: This show will be held under the rules of the Texas 4-H Quiz Bowl Guidelines, provided they do not conflict with any of the rules and regulations prescribed by the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

5. Registration: Teams will be notified prior to the National 4-H and FFA Beef Quiz Bowl Invitational Contest as to when and where they should report. Teams that fail to check-in within 10 minutes of their scheduled match will forfeit the match unless excused by the National Beef Quiz Bowl Superintendent.

6. Team Captains: A team captain is designated and should be seated nearest the moderator, who will be positioned between the two teams. Contestants will wear identification tags and/or have cards with their contestant numbers. The captain will remain the captain throughout the contest and will always be seated closest to the moderator. Other team members may change their seating order between matches.

7. Viewing: Contestants can not view matches until the open viewing of the championship round. No electronic devices are allowed in contestroom. Spectators may not bring any writing, recording devices or other similar materials

into a contest room. Other specific rules about public and participant viewing will be announced at orientation, just prior to the Quiz Bowl competition.

8. Awards: The following prizes will be awarded.

First Place Team.....	Trophy Buckles for each individual participant, \$100 merchandise voucher for each participant(to be redeemed the HLSR merchandise booth),Team Trophy and Leather Banner
Second Place Team.....	Plaques for each individual participant, \$75 merchandise voucher for each participant(to be redeemed at the HLSR merchandise booth), Team Trophy and Leather Banner
Third Place Team.....	\$50 Merchandise Voucher for each participant(to be redeemed at the HLSR merchandise booth), Team Trophy and Leather Banner
Fourth Place Team.....	\$25 Merchandise Voucher for each participant(to be redeemed at the HLSR merchandise booth),Team Trophy and Leather Banner

Ranching & Wildlife Competition

Project and Entry Forms Due in HLSR Office:	January 10, 2011	
Finalist Notification:	February 1, 2011	
Presentations by Finalists:	March 5, 2011	10:30am
Awards Presentation:	March 5, 2011	2:00pm

1. Purpose:

To engage Texas 4-H and FFA Members in activities that promote the preservation and enhancement of Texas wildlife.

2. Eligibility

Competition is open to students enrolled in grades 9-12 that are members in good standing of a Texas FFA Chapter or 4-H Club. Chapters and clubs must be in good standing with state and national affiliates.

3. Project Guidelines:

- Each exhibitor may enter only one (1) project.
- Projects must focus on the conservation or enhancement of Texas wildlife habitat affecting multiple species or the preservation or enhancement of a particular Texas wildlife species. **No projects directed solely toward domesticated farm animals or exotic species will be allowed.**
- Projects must consist of a 36"x48" display board (36"x24" when folded). Display boards may contain text, photos, diagrams, charts, drawings and samples. All content must be attached and fit on the display board such that unfolding the board is the full extent of setup.
- Name of contestant must be printed on back of the project board and may not appear on the front.
- Projects should be self explanatory and may include the result of original research or a summarization of existing research in order to draw conclusions relevant to the topic.
If the work of others is utilized, the source of the information must be clearly cited within the display. Failure to credit the work of others will result in disqualification.

4. Display:

The highest ranking projects will be placed on display during the Ranching and Wildlife Expo at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo from March 2-5, 2011.

5. Judging:

Projects will be judged on the quality and accuracy of the information presented and the relevance of the project to the preservation or enhancement of Texas wildlife.

Quality and accuracy of information	40 points
Relevance	40 points
Presentation/appearance	20 points
Total	100 points

6. Finalists:

Exhibitors of the top five (5) projects will be notified on or before February 1, 2011 and will be required to present their project before a panel of judges and an audience on March 5, 2011. Oral presentations will be limited to ten (10) minutes with at five (5) minute question and answer period with the judges. Visual aids for the oral presentation will consist of a PowerPoint presentation. Information in the PowerPoint presentation shall be limited to what was included on the display board. Judges scores from the oral presentations will be combined with preliminary scores from the judging of the display boards to determine final ranking of the top five contestants. If an exhibitor is unwilling or unable to attend the presentation show management reserves the right to invite the next highest placing exhibitor to compete for the top five positions.

7. Awards:

All exhibitors will receive a certificate of participation. Awards for the top five (5) contestants will be presented on March 5, 2011 at 2:00 pm.

- 1st Place: Trophy and \$2,500 cash award
- 2nd Place: Trophy and \$2,000 cash award
- 3rd Place: Trophy and \$1,500 cash award
- 4th Place: Trophy and \$1,000 cash award
- 5th Place: Trophy and \$500 cash award

8. Entry Submission:

Display boards and entry forms (located on the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo website under Livestock Show>Exhibitor Access>Exhibitor Handbook/Entry Forms) can be mailed to the following address and must be received by January 10, 2011. Online entry is not available for this contest.

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo
Attn: Ranching & Wildlife Committee
P. O. Box 20070
Houston TX 77225-0070

If the mailing method requires a physical address, send to:

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo
Attn: Ranching & Wildlife Committee
8334 Fannin
Houston TX 77054

9. Contact

Questions concerning this competition may be directed to:
juniorauctions@rodeohouston.com or (832) 667-1124 or (832) 667-1139

Agricultural Mechanics Project Show

Co-presented by Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and the Young Farmers of Texas

Superintendent – Dr. Billy R. Harrell – Huntsville, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Dr. Joe Muller – Huntsville, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Dr. Doug Kingman – Huntsville, Texas

Move In*:	Friday	March 18	7 a.m.
Tractor Judging Begins	Friday	March 18	8 a.m.
Tractors On Site-Airport Blvd.	Friday	March 18	12 noon
Projects On Site-Airport Blvd.	Friday	March 18	2 p.m.
All Projects & Tractors Checked In	Friday	March 18	3 p.m.
Judging-Projects & Tractors	Saturday	March 19	8 a.m.
Results & Awards:	Sunday	March 20	9 a.m.
Begin Release:	Sunday	March 20	10 a.m.
Or immediately following the Awards Presentation; All Projects Must Be Out By 8 p.m.)			

* Check-in entrance will only be at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo property on Airport Blvd

Purpose of the Agricultural Mechanics Project Show

1. To provide an opportunity for 4-H and FFA members to display projects constructed in agricultural mechanics labs.
2. To promote the development of skills in agricultural mechanics through competition.
3. To recognize individual and group accomplishments in the area of agricultural mechanics.
4. To provide an opportunity for public appreciation of this important phase of 4-H and FFA Youth Programs.

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for Agricultural Mechanics Project Show

1. **Eligible Entries:** 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.
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. **Maximum Entries:** Each exhibitor may enter only one individual project. 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 two projects, either group and/or individually constructed.
5. **Ineligible Projects:** Any project that does not fit into one of the stated classes will be disqualified by the Show committee. Barbecue and other recreational and/or convenience-type projects or accessories will not be allowed. Only feeders and equipment for domesticated farm animals will be allowed.
6. **Substitutions:** For exhibitor substitution, see Rule #14 in Junior Show Rules. Project substitutions must be made to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, by February 1 and must indicate the project being eliminated and the project being added. Only those substitutions with official post office postmarks on or before February 1 will be accepted without fee. Substitutions postmarked after February 1, will be charged a \$50 late fee.
7. **Construction Date:** A project can be exhibited only one time at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and must have been completed within one calendar year of the exhibition date.
8. **Move In Day:** Entries must be on the Show grounds by 2 p.m. on move in day.
9. **Exhibit Space:** Each chapter or club gets a maximum of 1,000 square feet of exhibit space in the primary exhibit area. Projects may be double decked as long as they are safely displayed and accessible for judging. Due to limited exhibit space, all chapters and clubs are encouraged to plan for double deck exhibition of projects. The Show reserves the right to display the projects as space and quantity of projects allow. It is possible that projects might be displayed at an alternate site.

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 primary 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 official judges and as space permits. Floor covering, with the exception of restored tractors, is not encouraged. When used, it must be limited to the floor area under individual projects. 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. **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.
12. **Documentation:** An original (exhibitor drawn) plan or 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, computers, etc. will be permitted only when they can be positioned on or under the project.
13. **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 the safety equipment specified in Title 7, **Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration or Vehicles and Traffic Transportation Code of Texas Statutes. Specific chapters regarding width (621.201), lights and reflectors (547.322, 547.323, 547.324, 547.325, 547.333, 547.334, 537.335, 547.371 and 547.352, 547.353, 547.354, 547.355, 547.372), brakes 547.401, 547.402, 547.405(b), 393.43, 393.11), length 621.201, safety guards and flaps 547.601, SME emblem 547.703 and inspection (621.204) are to be adhered to.** The TRAILERS: Federal Lighting and Equipment Location Requirements and a summary of the requirements for trailer lighting, brakes, etc. for the current year Houston Project Show are attached as PDF files. See below. Any trailer that exceeds 102 inches in width must have a signed annual 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.
14. **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.
15. **General Safety:** Flammable and/or combustible liquids shall not be used, stored or sprayed inside of any Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo building at any time. This shall include, but not be 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. Electric extension cords shall not cross aisles used as exit ways.
16. **Projects Needing Offloading Assistance:** Projects to be hoisted from the top-side are to be fitted with lifting eyes at balance points that accommodate 1-inch shackles. Projects that cannot be safely off-loaded with equipment available will be shown at an alternate site. Transport trailers loaded in a manner that is unsafe to be towed into the display area with a move-in tractor will be towed in by the exhibitor, as space is available, after all other projects are in place.
17. **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.
18. **Vehicles:** Tractors, trucks, ATVs or other vehicles (including non-entered trailers) are not allowed in the exhibit area as part of the display.
19. **Signs:** All projects are to be identified with standard club exhibitors cards. Additional signs, banners, etc. are encouraged, but are subject to approval by the Committee. No "For Sale" signs will be permitted.
20. **Sale Projects:** All exhibitors/groups wishing to sell their projects should notify show management no later than **February 15** at livestock@rodeohouston.com. Exhibitors are encouraged to submit a detailed description and pictures of projects for sale to livestock@rodeohouston.com.
21. **Loss or Damage:** Every precaution will be taken to protect the projects entered; however, neither the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo nor the officials of this Division will be responsible for any loss or damage to projects.
22. **Judging System:** The Danish System will be used in judging the projects. Projects will be judged on:

Criteria.....	Points
a. Workmanship.....	30
b. Design and Materials Used	20

c. Practicality	20
d. Degree of Difficulty	10
e. General Appearance and Finish	10
f. Documentation and Presentation	10

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

Plaques will be presented to the first and second place winners of each division.

Ties will be broken by the discretion of the judges.

23. Awards: Plaques will also be presented to the Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion projects. There will be additional prizes awarded to participating schools. Ribbons will be given as follows: Blue, Red, and White.

24. Showmanship Awards: Presented to schools, clubs, or individuals selected as having presented the best public image. Major considerations in the selection of winners will be as follows:

- Appropriate display and presentation of projects
- Appropriate display of project plans, bill-of-materials and photographs.
- Housekeeping around projects
- Appropriate dress
- Conduct, attitude and participation of exhibitors

Judging for showmanship begins when projects arrive at the Show grounds and ends at 10 a.m. on Sunday. Displays must be maintained throughout the show. Exhibitors are not to interfere with judging. It is recommended they be with their projects as they are judged to answer questions and demonstrate operations as requested by the judges. AST/CEA's or adult leaders are not to participate in judging activities. Students participating on the Agricultural Mechanics Job Fair will not be penalized for attending the Fair.

25. Tractor Restoration: No lawn or garden tractors allowed. No implements or non-factory accessories allowed. Exhibitors of tractors with steel lugs or steel tracks must provide mats or lumber/plywood to serve as runners to protect asphalt and concrete from damage. Batteries must be disconnected and cranking or ignition systems must be disabled on all tractors to prevent unauthorized starting while on display. All fuel tank caps are to be in place and sealed with tape. LP-Gas tractors will be allowed in the exhibit area. Fuel tanks must be less than 25% filled.

Criteria	Points
Aesthetics	20
Originality	10
Mechanical	50
Safety Equipment	10
Documentation	10

Ribbons will be awarded as follows: Blue, Red, and White.

Aesthetics is to include overall appearance of tractor. This includes workmanship and finish. Items to be considered include but are not limited to: metal preparation, completeness of sheet metal, paint and finish, detail and completeness of components such as wheels, tires, steering wheels, seats, decals, instrument panels, wiring harness, etc.

Originality is to include paint color, fasteners, electrical systems, fuel systems, exhaust systems, mechanical systems, original unaltered serial plates, etc.

Mechanical is to include the restoration of engine, transmission, final drive, fuel system, cooling system, cranking or starting system, charging system, hydraulic system, steering system, etc.

Safety equipment is to include all equipment that was original to the tractor. It also includes the provision of drip pans containing floor absorbent to collect any liquids that may drip from the tractor during display. Fuel shut-off valves under all fuel tanks must be functional, and tractors are to be exhibited with the valves closed. An ABC fire extinguisher with a minimum 2.5 pound capacity must be provided with each tractor. Extra fuel may not be stored in exhibit building. Tractor engines are to be started and run only at the request of Show officials.

Documentation must be typed or computer generated and is to include a one page description of the overall restoration project, an expense report identifying all costs of restoration, photos showing before, during and after restoration that show a safe working environment, and a complete description of all mechanical work performed. All documentation is to be displayed in a three-ring binder, divided and sequenced with a table of contents and page numbers. The National FFA Tractor Restoration Competition format and forms may be used.

Agricultural Mechanics Project Show

Exhibitors are to provide pertinent information, preferably from the manufacturer, about the specific tractor restored. Information should include, but is not limited to, an illustration or photo (preferably color) to depict the original color(s), paint scheme, and original decals and their location; charging and cranking system information (example: 1951 and older model XXXs were hand cranked, in 1952, a 6 volt charging system and electric starter was a factory option for model XXXs, in 1954, all model XXXs were equipped with a 6 volt charging system and electric starter); lights and safety equipment; wheel and tire types and sizes; other factory options; and manufacturer approved field installed options made available during the time the model XXX was in production.

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. 1st place project for Division
8. 2nd place project for Division

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT CLASSES

9. Show and livestock equipment (electrical only)
10. Shop tools and equipment (electrical only)
11. 1st place project for Division
12. 2nd place project for Division

LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT CLASSES (Classes 13-18 for domesticated livestock only.)

13. Gates and livestock panels
14. Squeeze chutes and restraining equipment
15. Trim chutes, blocking stands, livestock crates, and headgates
16. Feeders
17. Self feeders and creep feeders
18. Other equipment for domesticated livestock
19. Equipment for wildlife and exotic animals (Limited to equipment used to produce and manage animals such as deer, llama, turkeys, quail, fish, etc. Not to include deer stands, timed-tripod feeders, hog traps, or other hunting equipment.)
20. 1st place project for Division
21. 2nd place project for Division

TRAILER CLASSES

22. Small utility trailers – 10 ft. and under in length
23. Utility trailers – over 10 ft. in length
24. Non-traditional utility and implement trailers – all lengths*
25. Stock trailers
26. Multi-bale trailers
27. Gooseneck lowboy utility and implement trailers
28. Gooseneck flatbed utility and implement trailers
29. Gooseneck stock trailers
30. Other trailers (welder trailers, dump trailers, etc.)**
31. 1st place project for Division
32. 2nd place project for Division

TRACTOR RESTORATION (Not eligible for Reserve Grand or Grand Champion Project)

33. Tractors 1945 and older
34. Tractors 1946 through 1960
35. Tractors 1961 through 1990
36. 1st place tractor for Division
37. 2nd place tractor for Division
38. Reserve Grand Champion
39. Grand Champion

* Non-traditional utility and implement trailers will include drop-bed trailers, trailers without side rails, and other special purpose trailers that do not fit into the traditional trailer classes.

** Dump trailers, regardless of length, will be exhibited in class 30.

For additional information on entering projects in classes and judging procedures, open PDF files listed below.

- Texas Young Farmers will present a scholarship to the exhibitor(s) showing the winning project.

NAMING AND DESCRIBING PROJECTS FOR SHOW

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AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT CLASSES

Hay handling equipment

Names and descriptions to use: 3-pt. hay fork, 3-pt. hay spear, front loader hay fork, bucket mounted hay spear, hay accumulator, pull-type single bale hay fork, hay conveyor, hay grapple, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: Tumble Bug or other brand names

Spraying equipment

Names and descriptions to use: 500 gallon nurse tank, 40' boom type pasture sprayer, 40' broad jet pasture sprayer, 5 gallon hand sprayer, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Mounted and pull-type tractor and ATV equipment

Names and descriptions to use: 8' arena drag, 2 cubic yard scraper, 32' crust buster, 3-pt. carry-all, front end loader, 7' rotary cutter, 15' flex-wing rotary cutter, 8' box blade, 14' pasture aerator, 8' disc harrow, manure spreader, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: Bush Hog and other brand names

Hydraulic equipment

Names and descriptions to use: 3-pt. log splitter, pull-type log splitter, 10 ton floor press, 10' dump trailer, post driver, tree spade, hydraulic blade, pipe bender with table, hydraulic work station, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Shop equipment

Names and descriptions to use: shop table, jack stands, A-frame, saw horses, cut-off saw table, tire storage rack, barrel rack, welding table, cutting table, engine stand, cherry picker, oxy-fuel cylinder cart, A-frame hoist, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Truck, tractor and agricultural equipment accessories

Names and descriptions to use: pickup headache rack, pickup brush guard, front and/or rear pickup bumper, tractor grille guard, tractor brush guard, 3-pt. trailer coupler, pickup grille guard, truck tool box, receiver hitch carrier, ATV rack, fuel tank, bio-diesel machine, welder bed for truck, air flow tailgate, custom truck bed, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: Ranch Hand bumper or grille guard, Western Hauler truck bed

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT CLASSES

Show and livestock equipment (electrical only)

Names and descriptions to use: grooming light stand, grooming stand with lights and outlets, livestock show display, lamb treadmill, chicken brooder, clipper blade sharpener, livestock blower, horse walker, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Shop tools and equipment (electrical only)

Names and descriptions to use: shop table with electrical outlets, electrical outlet stand, parts cleaner, electric over hydraulic floor press, electric over hydraulic pipe bender, sheet metal roller, trailer light tester, pipe roller, cut-off saw, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT CLASSES

(Domesticated Livestock Equipment Only)

Gates and livestock panels

Names and descriptions to use: 10' entrance gate, 10' pasture gate, 10' livestock panel, 24' double entrance gate with arch way, set of 8 livestock panels, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Squeeze chutes and restraining equipment

Names and descriptions to use: hydraulic squeeze chute, hoof trimming table, squeeze chute with crowding pens, squeeze chute, calf tilt table, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names equipment resembles

Trim chutes, blocking stands, livestock crates, and headgates

Names and descriptions to use: cattle trim chute, sheep trimming stand, goat trimming stand, hog clipping stand, small animal crate for pickup, hog weighing station, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Feeders

Note: All feeders not equipped with storage hoppers or bins are to be entered in this class. Hay and hay/grain feeders should be entered in this class.

Names and descriptions to use: 8' covered mineral feeder, wind-vane mineral feeder, 8' open feed trough, 6' x 4' mineral and salt feeder, hanging hay feeder for horse stall, 12' hay/grain feeder, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Self feeders and creep feeders

Note: All feeders equipped with flow metering hoppers or bins, including creep feeders, are to be entered in this class.

Names and descriptions to use: 8' self feeder, 1 ton self feeder, 8' creep feeder, 12' trailer mounted self feeder, 10' combination self feeder/creep feeder, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Other livestock equipment

Names and descriptions to use: saddle racks, farrowing crates, stalls, storage buildings, post pullers, auction stands, roping chutes, feed dollies, hammer mills, feed mixers, spurs, 14' cattle guard with gates, grain storage bin, sales ring, horse walker, portable alley way, show box, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Wildlife and exotic animals

Names and descriptions to use: brooder, incubator, feeder, working pin, chute, transport cage, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Small utility trailers-10 ft. and under in length

Names and descriptions to use: 8' utility trailer, 10' tilt-bed utility trailer, 10' tandem axle utility trailer, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Utility trailers-over 10 ft. in length

Names and descriptions to use: 12' utility trailer, 12' tilt-bed utility trailer, 18' utility trailer, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: brand names

Non-traditional utility and implement trailers-all lengths

Note: Drop-bed trailers, trailers without side rails, landscape trailers, and other special purpose trailers that do not fit into the traditional trailer classes are to be entered in this class.

Names and descriptions to use: 14' flatbed equipment trailer, 16' landscape trailer, 10' drop-bed utility trailer, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: car haulers (For show purposes enter them as equipment trailers as shown above.)

Stock trailers

Names and descriptions to use: 14' stock trailer, 16' lamb and/or pig low profile trailer, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: name brands

Multi-bale trailers

Names and descriptions to use: 2-bale hay trailer, 5-bale gooseneck hay trailer, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: Hay-Van or other name brands

Gooseneck lowboy utility and implement trailers

Names and descriptions to use: 24' gooseneck lowboy, 20' gooseneck lowboy with ramps, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: name brands

Gooseneck flatbed utility and implement trailers

Names and descriptions to use: 32' gooseneck float, 32' gooseneck dovetail float, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: name brands

Gooseneck stock trailers

Names and descriptions to use: 24' gooseneck stock trailer, 24' porta-frame gooseneck stock trailer, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: name brands

Other trailers (welder trailers, dump trailers, special purpose implement trailers, horse trailers with living quarters, etc.)**

Names and descriptions to use: 14' welder trailer, 12' hydraulic dump trailer, 28' gooseneck combine hauler, 36' slant load horse trailer with living quarters, 28' drop bed implement trailer, etc.

Names and descriptions not to use: name brands

Tractors

Names and descriptions to use: model year-manufacturer-model-serial number (Example: 1939 John Deere B Serial # 1112983)
Tractors are to be entered classes by model year as listed in the Premium List.

State FFA Tractor Technician Contest

Superintendent – Dr. Billy Harrell – Huntsville, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Dr. Joe Muller – Huntsville, Texas
Assistant Superintendent – Dr. Doug Kingman – Huntsville, Texas

Presented by: Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo™ and the Agricultural Sciences and Technology Division of the Texas Education Agency.

Monday, March 7

Designated Driver Orientation	7:00 a.m.	Main Arena
Registration:	7:30 a.m.	Reliant Center, Room TBA
Contest (I & II):	8:30 a.m.	Reliant Center, Room TBA
Contest (III):	3 p.m.	Main Arena
Results & Awards:	4 p.m.	Main Arena

This show is subject to the Houston Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules of this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.

Special Rules for State FFA Tractor Technician Contest

1. A contest team will consist of three members from one high school whose combined scores will be the team score.
2. Qualifications of a team member:
 - a. Each team member must be a junior or senior and currently enrolled in an agriscience (semester) or agribusiness (pre-employment or agricultural cooperative) course.
 - b. Each team member must be a member of the FFA chapter of the school they represent and on the State FFA roster.
 - c. Individual members of the ten teams that advance to Part III are not eligible to compete more than one time in the State FFA Tractor Technician Contest.
3. Team eligibility for the State FFA Tractor Technician Contest:
 - a. Two teams from each of the ten agricultural science and technology areas in Texas will be eligible.
 - b. The two teams representing each area must have participated in an area elimination contest.
 - c. If an area fails to provide **two teams**, the state quota of twenty teams will be completed using the rank order scores for Parts I and II of all teams (excluding first and second place teams) that competed in the area contests. Using this method, all additional teams selected to meet the state quota of twenty teams could come from one area.
 - d. The agriscience teacher must certify the eligibility of each team member at registration.
4. Each contestant is to bring ten copies of a one-page résumé.
5. The contest will be judged by service technicians from the agricultural, construction, and automotive equipment industries and/or by university personnel. Decisions of the judges will be final.
6. Neither contestants nor agriscience teachers may be in possession of electronic communication or storage devices at any time after team registration. These devices include but are not limited to cell phones, Palm Pilots, Blackberries, personal computers, and pagers. Use of these devices may be resumed after contest results are announced. Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is not responsible for loss, stolen or damaged property.
7. Each team member will participate individually in Parts I and II of the contest, and work as a member of the school team in Part III of the contest. Awards will be presented to the high point individual on the exam, high point individual on component evaluation, high point individual overall (exam, component evaluation, and one-third of team score of Part III), and the top five teams.
8. The top ten teams (collective individual scores on Part I and Part II) will advance to participate in Part III. These team members and agriscience teachers are not to have any further contact with anyone other than members of the scheduled teams and/or contest officials until Part III is completed.

State FFA Tractor Technician Contest

9. In case of a tie, the tenth place team will be determined in the following sequence:
 - a. the team having the highest total score on Part II will be declared winner. If still tied:
 - b. the team having the highest individual score on Part II will be declared winner. If still tied:
 - c. the team having the highest total score on Part I will be declared winner. If still tied:
 - d. the team having the highest individual score on Part I will be declared winner. If still tied:
 - e. the team with the highest individual score on Parts I and II will be declared winner.
10. Each team member must wear an official FFA jacket and manufacturer's cap when competing in Part III. All contestants shall wear industrial quality eye protection as they compete in Parts II and III. Industrial quality is defined as meeting the specifications of (American National Standards Institute) ANSI Z87.1. Agriscience teachers will verify that all team members have approved eye protection as the teams are registered.
11. Multimeters required for component evaluation in Part II are to be provided by the contestants (3 per team). Sharing in Part II will not be allowed. Due to possible damage to computers and other solid-state components, test lights will not be permitted for Part III. Digital multimeters are recommended and shall have a minimum of 10 or more Mega ohms of impedance.
12. Type ABC fire extinguishers with a minimum of 2.5-pound capacity will be provided by each team participating in Part III.
13. Drip pans with a minimum of 2-gallon capacity and a minimum intake diameter of 16 inches will be provided by each team for participation in Part III. The teams are to allow no liquids (oil, diesel, coolant, etc.) to contact the arena floor.
14. Liquid-filled 0-5,000 p.s.i / 0-35,000 kPa dual-scale dial gauges equipped with adapters to fit the hydraulic remotes on the tractors used for the event are to be provided by each team participating in Part III.
15. Teams shall not be permitted to test drive the tractor until all malfunctions that affect the safe operation, or are detrimental to the operation of the tractor (in the opinion of the judges as identified prior to the contest) have been found and corrected.
16. Only the judges and the supervising attendants will be permitted in the immediate vicinity while Parts I and II are being conducted and/or on the arena floor during Part III.
17. Agriscience teachers that qualify state teams will be notified of the make and model of tractors to be used in Part III prior to the contest, if possible. It is possible that models will change due to availability.
18. Teams participating in Part III will be assigned tractors by number. If time permits, agriscience teachers will be allowed to view tractors prior to Part III. Minor corrections and adjustments may be requested at this time.
19. In case of a tie, the high point individual on Part I (written exam) will be determined in the following sequence:
 - a. the individual having the highest score on the components will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - b. The individual from the team with the highest total score on Parts I and II will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - c. the individual having the highest score on Part III (one-third of team score) will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - d. agriscience teachers will match for the award.
20. In case of a tie, the high point individual on Part II (component evaluation) will be determined in the following sequence:
 - a. the individual having the highest score on the written exam will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - b. the individual from the team with the highest total score on Parts I and II will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - c. the individual having the highest score on Part III (one-third of team score) will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - d. agriscience teachers will match for the award.
21. In case of a tie, the overall high point individual will be determined in the following sequence:
 - a. the individual having the highest score on component evaluation will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - b. The individual having the highest score on the written exam will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - c. the individual having the highest score on Part III (one-third of team score) will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - d. the individual from the team with the highest total score on Parts I and II will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - e. agriscience teachers will match for the award.
22. In case of a tie for team placing (first through fifth), winning teams will be determined in the following sequence:
 - a. the team having the highest total score on Part II will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - b. the team having the highest total score on Part I will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - c. the team having the highest total score on Part III will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - d. the team having the high individual score on Parts I and II will be declared winner. If still tied,
 - e. agriscience teachers will match for the award.
23. Awards: Plaques will be awarded to the top five teams (collective scores for all team members on Parts I and II and team score on Part III) and the three high point individuals (as described in Rule 7 above).

PART I – Written Exam

Contestants will complete one hundred objective questions, true or false and multiple choices. Multiple-choice questions may have one or more correct answers. State curriculum materials, references available from IMS, **John Deere**, and Agricultural Power and Machinery will be used to develop questions.

PART II – Appraisal of Tractor/Implement Components

Contestants will appraise twenty components, parts, or service schematics from agricultural tractors/machines. They will recommend service, needed or not needed, for each component. Service information from manufacturer's service manuals, from IT manuals, or on the component sheet will be provided where it is needed in order to make the evaluations. All equipment with the exception of multimeters will be provided. Multimeters are to be provided by the contestants. Five conditions will be listed for each component. The contestant will mark each statement as true or false on a scantron sheet that will be provided. Contestants are required to wear industrial quality eye protection as they compete in this phase of the contest.

PART III – Locating and Correcting Malfunctions in Agricultural Tractors

A school team of three contestants, working as a group, will compete with teams from other schools (the top ten teams on Parts I and II) in locating and correcting five deliberately placed malfunctions in diesel fueled tractors. All tractors will have the same malfunctions installed and service work orders listing owner/operator comments on service needed will be provided. All tractors may not be identical, so procedure and difficulty for correcting similar malfunctions may vary. All systems of the tractor may be considered during the selection of malfunctions. Examples include:

- a. electrical system
- b. engine and power train systems
- c. hydraulic system
- d. chassis, safety, and handling systems

The malfunctions may or may not have an immediate detriment to the starting or performance of the tractor and may relate to safety.

Each team will provide their own tools, test equipment, drip pan, and fire extinguisher. The time limit for this phase of the contest is **30** minutes. Contestants are required to wear industrial quality eye protection, an official FFA jacket, and manufacturer's cap provided during this phase of the contest. When the team has located and corrected the malfunctions, a designated driver will operate the tractor in a safe manner around the driving course. No additional service is to be performed after the tractor enters the driving course. Time will terminate after the driver has parked the tractor and the key and completed service work order are turned in to the designated contest judge/time keeper.

Special Awards

Open Llama and Alpaca Show

Trophy Donors:

Dan and Bev Johnson

Cash Award: The Llama Committee will give a \$1,000 savings bond to the High Point Youth Llama/Alpaca Exhibitor.

Junior Market Lamb

Cash Award: The American Southdown Breeders Association will offer a \$1,000 cash award to the Grand Champion Lamb if it is a purebred Southdown Lamb. A photo of the lamb and registry number of sire must be provided.

Cash Award: The Texas Lamb Breeders Association will offer cash awards to high placing lambs in each class, if properly validated.

Junior Commercial Steer Feeding & Management Show

Cash Award: Oscar L. Bunge presents the Junior Rookie of the Year Award, which is \$700 cash.

Plaque: Prefco Dist. Co. will present the Fred J. Pauly Plaque and a \$500 cash award to the second place winner.

Cash Award: Mr. and Mrs. Mason Briscoe II, Fort Bend Feed and Supply, Inc., Rosenberg, Texas, present the Rookie of the Year Award, which is \$750 cash presented to a first year exhibitor who, in the opinion of the Junior Commercial Steer Committee, displays an all around knowledge of feeding steers.

Cash Award: Port City Stockyards Company, Sealy, Texas offers a \$1,000 cash award to the first place and a \$250 cash award to the 3rd place winners of the Junior Commercial Steer Feeding and Management Show.

Junior Breeding Sheep Show

Trophy: The Good Housekeeping Trophy, presented IN MEMORY OF VIRGINIA HAWTHORNE, is presented to a deserving exhibitor, according to procedures defined in the Good Herdsman section of this Exhibitors' Handbook.

2011 Junior Breeding Beef Heifers

Beefmaster

Trophy: The Beefmaster Breeders United will offer a trophy to the exhibitors of the Champion and Reserve Champion Beefmaster Heifers.

Polled Hereford

Trophy: Texas Pollettes will present a special trophy to the Grand Champion Heifer and Reserve Champion Heifer in the Polled Hereford Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show.

Award: Wright Polled Herefords will present a Showmanship Award in the Polled Hereford Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show.

Simmental

Trophy: Carlos and Sister Guerra, LaMuneca Cattle Company, Linn, Texas, offers a showmanship trophy to the Champion Showman in the Simmental division.

Simbrah

Trophy: Carlos and Sister Guerra, LaMuneca Cattle Company, Linn, Texas, offers a showmanship trophy to the Champion Showman in the Simbrah division.

Junior Dairy Cattle Show

Ribbons and Rosettes: The Holstein Foundation offers ribbons in each Holstein class to the exhibitors of the 1st-5th place animals and presents a special rosette to the exhibitor of the Champion Holstein Female and Reserve Champion Female.

4-H and FFA Livestock Judging Contest

Cash Award: I.W. Marks Jewelers, Bradley H. Marks, Vice President, Houston, Texas offers a \$500 gift certificate to the high point individual and a \$250 gift certificate to the runner-up in the 4-H and FFA Livestock Judging Contest.

4-H and FFA Dairy Judging Contest

Cash Award: I. W. Marks Jewelers, Bradley H. Marks, Vice President, Houston, Texas offers a \$500 gift certificate to the high point individual and a \$250 gift certificate to the runner-up in the 4-H and FFA Dairy Judging Contest.

4-H and FFA Horse Judging Contest

Cash Award: N.W. "Dick" Freeman Memorial Award in the amount of \$500 to the Overall High Point Individual and \$250 to the Reserve Overall High Point Individual.; "Bobby Schmidt Memorial Award" in the amount of \$250 to the Overall High Reasons Individual score.

Calf Scramble

Please see *Step by Step Calf Scramble Handbook* for a listing of all special awards.

Houston Area

R.V. Park & Hotel Listing

South Main Trailer/RV Park
10100 South Main
(713) 677-0120

All Star RV Park
Beltway 8 @ Hwy 59
(713) 981-6814
(800) 385-9074

Springhill Suites Houston - Reliant Park
1400 Old Spanish Trail
(713) 796-1000
(866) 439-7275

Guesthouse Inn Houston Astrodome/Reliant Park
2364 South Loop West
(713) 776-2633
(800) 552-INNS

Hampton Inn & Suites Medical Center/Reliant Park
1715 Old Spanish Trail
(713) 797-0446

Howard Johnson Express - Reliant Park/Medical Center
9604 South Main
(713) 666-1411

La Quinta Inn - Medical Center/Astrodome
9911 Buffalo Speedway
(713) 668-8082

La Quinta Inn- Greenway Plaza
4015 Southwest Fwy
(713) 623-4750

La Quinta Inn and Suites- Galleria Area
1625 West Loop South
(713) 355-3440

Renaissance Houston Hotel Greenway Plaza
6 Greenway Plaza
(713) 629-1200

Hampton Inn Houston- Near the Galleria
4500 Post Oak Parkway
(713) 871-9911

Wellesley Inn and Suites Medical Center/Astrodome
1301 S. Braeswood Blvd.
(713) 794-0800

Crowne Plaza Hotel and Resort
8686 Kirby Dr.
Houston, TX 77054
(713) 748-3221
www.houstongrandplaza.com

Allstar RV Park
11991 South Main St.
(713) 723-0973
(800) 385-9122

Red Dot Travel Trailer Park
15014 Sellers
(281) 448-3438

Houston Marriot- Medical Center
6580 Fannin Street
(713) 796-0080

Houston Marriott West Loop by the Galleria
1750 West Loop South
(713) 960-0111

Fairfield Inn Houston Near The Galleria
3131 West Loop South
(713) 961-1690

Comfort Inn and Suites
4020 Southwest Freeway
(713) 623-4720

Holiday Inn Select - Greenway Plaza
2712 Southwest Freeway
(713) 523-8448

Holiday Inn - Medical Center
6800 S. Main St.
(713) 528 -7744

Holiday Inn Astrodome @ Reliant Park
8111 Kirby Drive
(713) 790-1900

Hilton Houston Southwest
6780 Southwest
(713) 977-7911

Doubletree Hotel Houston- Post Oak
2001 Post Oak Blvd.
(713) 961-9300

Rodeway Inn - Southwest Fwy.
3135 Southwest Fwy.
(713) 526-1071

Hilton Houston Hobby Airport Hotel
8181 Airport Boulevard
Houston, TX 77061
(713) 645-3000
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& Rodeo Managers' Association, Inc.

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2009: Oct 27-Nov 1; 2010: Oct 26- 31; 2011: Oct 25-30

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2009: Dec 27 - Jan 1; 2010: Dec 27 - Jan 1; 2011 Dec 27-Jan 1

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2009: Oct 9-18; 2010: Oct 8-17; 2011: Oct 14-23

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Black Hills Stock Show & Rodeo

800 San Francisco St - Rapid City, SD 57701

Ron Jeffries, Manager

2009: Jan 30 - Feb 8; 2010: Jan 29-Feb 7; 2011: Dec 28- Feb 6

605.355.3861 - Fax 605.355.3800

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California Exposition and State Fair

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2009: July 3-12; 2010: 9-18

Canadian Western Agribition

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2009: Nov 23-28; 2010: Nov 21-27

Colorado State Fair & Rodeo

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2009: Aug 28-Sept 7; 2010: Aug 27-Sept 6; 2011: Aug 26 –Sept 5

Dixie National Livestock Show

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Eastern States Exposition

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2009: Sept 18 – Oct 4; 2010: Sept 17 – Oct 2; 2011: Sept 16- Oct 1

Farmfair International /Canadian Finals Rodeo

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2009: Nov 11-15; 2010: Nov 10-14; 2011: Nov 9-13

Florida State Fair

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www.floridastatefair.com

Vina Jean Banks, Agribusiness Manager

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2009: Feb 5-16; 2010: Feb 4-15

Georgia National Livestock Show & Rodeo

PO Box 1367 - Perry, GA 31069

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2009: Feb 19-21; 2010 Feb 17-21

Grand National Rodeo, Horse & Stock Show Cow Palace

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2009: April 4-11

Heart O' Texas Fair and Rodeo

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2009: Oct 9-17; 2010 Oct 8-16; 2011: Oct 7-15

Houston Livestock Show and Rodeowww.rodeohouston.com

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2009: March 3-22; 2010: March 2-21; 2011 Mar 1-20

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Gary Slater, CEO/Manager

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2009: Aug 13-23; 2010: Aug 12-22

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Debbie Anderson, Competitive Exhibits Director

2009: Sept 11-20; 2010: Sept 10 -19

www.kansasstatefair.com

620.669.3600 - Fax 620.669.3640

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debbie@kansasstatefair.com**Keystone International Livestock Exposition**

2300 N Cameron St - Harrisburg, PA 17110-9443

James V. Sharp, Manager

Dave McElhaney, Promotions Manager

2009: Sept 28-Oct 4; 2010: Sept 27 – Oct 3; 2011: Sept 26-Oct 2

www.keystoneinternational.state.pa.us

717.787.2905 - Fax 717.705.9900

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2009: Sept 24-27; 2010: Sep 23-26; 2011: Sep 22-25

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940 Early Maxwell Blvd - Memphis, TN 38104

Jim Rout, General Manager/CCO

2009: Sept 25-Oct 4

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jrout@midsouthfair.com**Minnesota State Fair**

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Steve Pooch, Deputy General

2009: Aug 27 – Sept 7; 2010: Aug 26-Sept 6; 2011: Aug 25-Sep 5

www.mnstatefair.org

651.288.4417 - Fax 651.642.2456

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steve.pooch@mnstatefair.org**National Western Stock Show, Rodeo & Horse Show**

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Marv J. Witt, VP of Operations

Bill Angell, Livestock Manager

2009: Jan 10-25; 2010: Jan 9-24; 2011: Jan 8-23

www.nationalwestern.com

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2009: Aug 28-Sept 7; 2010: Aug 27-Sept 6

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North American International Livestock Exposition

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2009: Nov 7-20; 2010: Nov 6-19

Northern International Livestock Exposition & Pro Rodeo

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2009: Oct 10-17; 2010: 9-16

Oklahoma State Fair

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2009: Sep 17-27; 2010: Sept 16-26; 2011: Sept 15-25

Panhandle South Plains Fair

www.southplainsfair.com

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Herbert F. Higgs, Jr., General Manager

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2009: Sept 25-Oct 3; 2010: Sept 24-Oct 2; 2011: Sept 23-Oct 1

Rodeo Austin

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2009: Mar 13-28; 2010: Mar 12-27

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2009: Feb 18 – 28

San Antonio Livestock Exposition, Inc.

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2009: Feb 5-22; 2010: Feb 4-21; 2011: Feb 3-20

Southeastern Livestock Exposition & Rodeo

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Dr. William E. Powell, Executive Director
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2009: March 12-14; 2010: March 4-6

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Southwestern Exposition & Livestock Show

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2009: Jan 16-Feb 8; 2010: Jan 15-Feb 7; 2011: Jan 14-Feb 6

State Fair of Louisiana

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2009: Oct 22-Nov 8; 2010: Oct 21-Nov 7; 2011 Oct 27-Nov 13

State Fair of Texas

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2009: Sept 25 - Oct 18; 2010: Sept 24-Oct 17; 2011 Sept 30-Oct 23

Tulsa State Fair

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2009: Oct 1-11; 2010: Sept 23-Oct 3

Wyoming State Fair and Rodeo

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2009: Aug 8-15; 2010: Aug 14 - 21; 2011 Aug 13-20

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