

Knox County Junior Livestock Show Premium List

Premiums paid will be according to the general rules in each animal division.

SWINE, SHEEP, GOATS, POULTRY AND RABBITS: NUMBERS IN CLASS

1. \$2.00	1. \$5.00	1. \$8.00	1. \$10.00
2.	2. 2.00	2. 5.00	2. 8.00
	3.	3. 2.00	3. 5.00
		4.	4. 2.00
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1. \$10.00	1. \$10.00	1. \$10.00	
2. \$8.00	2. \$8.00	2. \$8.00	
3. \$6.00	3. \$6.00	3. \$6.00	
4. \$4.00	4. \$5.00	4. \$5.00	
5. \$3.00	5. \$4.00	5. \$4.00	
6. \$2.00	6. \$3.00	6. \$3.00	
7.	7. \$2.00	7. \$3.00	
8.	8. \$1.00	8. \$2.00	
	9.	9. \$2.00	
	10.	10. \$1.00	
		11. \$1.00	

STEERS AND HEIFERS: NUMBERS IN CLASS

1. \$25.00	1. \$25.00
2. \$20.00	2. \$20.00
3. \$15.00	3. \$15.00
4. \$10.00	4. \$10.00
5.	5. \$5.00
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Breed Shows

Grand Champion of Show - \$50.00

Reserve Grand Champion of Show - \$35.00

Knox County Junior Livestock Show Rule Book



January 15-16, 2021

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**KNOX COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW BOARD
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Rabbits & Poultry.....TBA
Sheep, Goats, Swine, BeefTBA

Exhibitors must bring their own shavings and will be responsible for cleaning their pens after the show.

Entry fees will not be collected at the show but will be deducted from sale proceeds.

RABBIT DIVISION

1. All breeding rabbits must have been owned by the exhibitor for sixty (60) days and meat pen rabbits for 45 days.
2. Rabbit breeds will be shown together or separate, depending on the number of entries. Three or more rabbits of the same breed must be entered in order to make a class and will be divided into junior and senior and/or buck and doe classes for that breed. Superintendent shall set classes as they see fit.
3. An exhibitor of rabbits may enter only two (2) entries per class and receive premium on any two (2) places.
4. Sick or diseased rabbits are absolutely refused entry, and if discovered during the show, will be removed.
5. Bucks and does less than 6 months of age and meet A.R.BA junior weight requirements for that breed will be classified a junior.
6. The market rabbit classes will consist of a pen of three (3) class and a single fryer class with each animal weighing no more than five (5) pounds. Single fryer entry may not be one of the animals entered as a pen of three. Single fryer entries will be marked at weigh-in.
7. Only the market rabbit classes will be eligible for the sale. One out of every five pens in both classes will be eligible to sale. However, each exhibitor is allowed to sell at least one entry regardless of placing. (see rule 20)
8. Best of Show will be awarded to the top breeding rabbit. Best Opposite Sex will be awarded to the top rabbit of the opposite sex. Grand and reserve champions will be awarded in both of the market rabbit classes.
9. All meat rabbits must be validated in accordance with Rule 22 of the General Rules to be eligible for the county show.
10. In the show, there must be TWO animals of ONE species to make a show.

POULTRY DIVISION

1. Broilers only to be shown.
2. All birds since the date of hatching must have been fed by the exhibitors.
3. All broilers must be purchased at the same time, same place and be of the inexpensive commercial type. Ordering will be supervised by Ag Science Teachers and County Extension Agent. All orders are due by October 15 to the Ag Science Teachers or the County Extension Agent
4. An entry consists of three (3) birds per person for broilers. There will be no weight limit A broiler pen may be composed of either pullets or cockerels but not both.
5. Sick and diseased birds are absolutely refused entry and if discovered during the show, will be removed.
6. Any broiler with reduced comb growth, or if there is secondary sex characteristics which indicate the presence of a hormone will be sifted. No capon will be shown.
7. No substitutions are allowed. Exhibitors must bring only the number of birds officially entered. Each exhibitor may enter not more than two pens of three broilers.
8. One pen of broilers will be eligible for the premium sale for every five pens entered.
9. In the show, there must be TWO animals of ONE species to make a show.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, January 15 — Project Fair

CRAFTS, TEXTILES, FOODS, PHOTOGRAPHY

There will be three age groups divided by grades:

- 1) K—2nd, Clover Kids
- 2) 3rd—8th, Junior Division
- 3) 9th—12th Senior Division

All items must be checked in with the leader assigned to that division at the project area on Friday, January 18th, by 9:00 am.

Judging will be at 10:00 am, Friday, January 17th.

All items will be left on display until end of show on Saturday.

AGRICULTURAL MECHANICS

Entries in this division are limited to Knox County FFA/ 4H members. Projects exhibited must have been constructed by FFA/ 4H members, either as a part of their agricultural mechanics instruction in agricultural science or as part of their supervised work experience program and owned by the exhibitor. There are no age divisions in this contest.

Friday, January 15 — Livestock Skill-A-Thon

There will be three age groups divided by grades:

- 1) 3rd—5th, Junior Division
- 2) 6th—8th, Intermediate Division
- 3) 9th—12th, Senior Division

Contest will start @ 10:00 am

BEEF AND DAIRY DIVISION

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

(Continued)

Saturday, January 16 — Livestock Show

Show begins at 10:00 am in the following order:

Rabbits, Lambs, Goats, Swine

Grand Champion Drive

Junior & Senior Showmanship

Animals to be unloaded between 3:00 pm—5:00 pm on Friday.

Swine, Sheep, & Goats must be in barn by 5:30 pm on Friday.

Weigh-In 6:00 pm—7:00 pm on Friday.

Animals may not leave the barn until completion of the show on

Saturday must be out of the barn by 5:00 pm.

1. Steers and heifers only to be shown.
2. Purebred or crossbred steers are entitled to show.
3. Steers will be divided into classes by weight. Number of classes will be determined by the division superintendent.
4. Heifers shall be divided according to age.
5. Steers and heifers shall be classed and placed under the supervision of the Superintendent.
6. Steers must be validated in accordance with Rule 22 of the General Rules to be eligible for the County Show. In the event of multiple validation names, each entry must be assigned an exhibitor at the time of weigh-in.
7. After the grand champion has been picked, the second place animal in the class may compete for reserve champion.
8. In the show, there must be TWO animals of ONE species to make a show.

Market Steer Classes

1. Light Steers
2. Medium Steers
3. Heavy Steers
4. Grand and Reserve
5. Champion Steers

MARKET LAMB DIVISIONS

1. Slick shorn only.
2. Weathers and ewes may be shown in market lamb classes.
3. Market lambs must be validated in accordance with Rule 22 of the General Rules to be eligible for the county show. In the event of multiple validation names, each entry must be assigned an exhibitor at the time of weigh-in.
4. First place lamb in each class is eligible to show for grand champion. After the grand champion has been picked, the second place animal in the class may compete for reserve champion.
5. Three (3) animals are necessary to make a class. Class size will be determined based on weight and number of entries at the discretion of the Superintendent and Show board.
6. Lambs must have milk teeth at validation. All market lambs must have their milk teeth at the time of weigh-in.
7. In the show, there must be TWO animals of ONE species to make a show.

Market Lamb Classes

1. Fine wool lambs
2. Fine wool Cross lambs
3. Medium Wool lambs
4. Southdowns and Shropshires
5. Grand and Reserve Champion Market Lambs

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS KNOX COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW 2020

All participants in this show are requested to read carefully the General Rules and Regulations of the Knox County Junior Livestock Show for there have been some changes made.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Rule 1 The Board of Directors shall be known as the Knox County Junior Livestock Show Board.

Rule 2 The Knox County Junior Livestock Show Board shall be the governing body for the Knox County Junior Livestock Show. All decisions and interpretations of rules by the Board of Directors will be final.

Rule 3 Membership to board will consist of two representatives each from 4-H, Knox City, Munday, an. Ag Science Teachers will select the two persons representing their respective towns. The County Extension Agent will select the two persons at large. All board members will be replaced in accordance to this rule.

Rule 4 Board members will serve a 2 year term for each town and at large.

Rule 5 The Board of Directors shall meet every September to elect a secretary.

Rule 6 Board meetings will be open only to show board members, Superintendents, Ag Science Teachers, and County Extension Agents.

Rule 7 Ag Science Teachers and County Extension Agent will meet after the county show to review the general rules and regulations for the Knox County Junior Livestock Show. They will select a chairman to present changes to the Board of Directors.

GENERAL RULES

- Rule 1** **State of Eligibility:** Exhibitors must be a bonafide member of Knox County 4-H or an FFA organization in Knox County and not be in less than 1st grade and not older than 21 years of age. Exhibitors must maintain a seventy (70) plus average in all subjects in school in order to exhibit animals.
- Rule 2** Projects must be under the direct supervision of their Ag Science Teacher or County Extension Agent.
- Rule 3** In so far as possible, shelter will be provided for all livestock which are to be exhibited in the Knox County Junior Livestock Show. It may be where the exhibitor will be asked to place his or her animal outside when all the shed space is filled. Only wood shavings will be allowed for bedding.
- Rule 4** **Entry Fees:**
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| Beef Cattle | \$10.00/head |
| Swine | 10.00/head |
| Sheep & Goats | 10.00/head |
| Broilers | 10.00/pen |
| Rabbits | 10.00/entry |
- Rule 5** **Refunds:** No refunds of entry fees will be returned to the one that entered the exhibit on or after the entry has been made.
- Rule 6** **Entries:** All livestock will be placed in its proper breed at date of validation. All entries and entry fees are due on or before the third Monday in December to Ag. Science Teachers or County Extension Agents. All teachers and agents will be responsible in submitting these entries to the Knox County Extension office before Christmas. A complete list of exhibitors will be compiled and distributed to Ag. Science Teachers, County Extension Agents and division Superintendents.
- Rule 7** **Arrival and Release of Animals:** Show times will be decided by the Board. All Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion animals must remain on the show grounds until completion of the Sale. Non-Champion animals must remain on the show grounds until judging of that particular species is completed with the exception of the animals shown on Saturday. All animals (placing and non-placing) shown on Saturday must remain in their stalls until completion of the Sale.

MARKET GOAT DIVISION

Each Individual is limited to two (2) entries per weight class.

Slick shorn only.

All goats with horns must have their horns tipped.

Weight limits: Wethers and nannies weighing under 50 pounds and over 135 pounds will not be allowed to show. There is a 5 lb margin of error for both minimum and maximum weights

Ownership and Validation: Exhibitors must own their animals at time of validation. Market Goat validation will take place in the month of October in conjunction with the Texas State Lamb and Goat Validation for Knox County. In the event of multiple validation names, each entry must be assigned an exhibitor at the time of weigh-in.

Either wethers or nannies may be shown. However, bred nannies will be barred from the show ring.

Classes will be broken by weight only. Three (3) animals are necessary to make a class. Class size will be determined based on weight and number of entries at the discretion of the Superintendent and Show board.

1. First place animals in each class will come back into the show ring for selection of champion market goat. The second place animal in the class that the champion was selected from will be eligible to show for reserve grand champion market goat.
2. All market goats must have their milk teeth at the time of weigh-in.
3. In the show, there must be TWO animals of ONE species to make a show.

SWINE DIVISION

1. Barrows or gilts weighing under 130 lbs. and over 270 lbs. will not be permitted to show with plus or minus 10 lbs. tolerance. There is only one weigh-in.
2. Only animals which show predominant breed characteristics will be eligible to show in a breed class.
3. Market swine must be validated in accordance with Rule 22 of the General Rules to be eligible for the county show.
4. Breed Champions of each class will show for grand champion and reserve champion of the show. Breed reserve champion animal from the class that grand is selected will show for reserve champion of show.
5. Market swine will be weighed in under the direction of the Department Superintendent or his assistant. In the event of multiple validation names, each entry must be assigned an exhibitor at the time of weigh-in.
6. Three (3) animals are necessary to make a class. Class size will be determined based on weight and number of entries at the discretion of the Superintendent and Show board.
7. Entries that are artificially colored with paint, or have paste, powder, oil or other dressings will be barred from showing. Only water will be allowed to be used.
8. In the show, there must be TWO animals of ONE species to make a show.

Swine Classes

Classes will show in alphabetical order by breeds:

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| 1. Berkshire | 6. Poland |
| 2. Chester White | 7. Spot |
| 3. Duroc | 8. Yorkshire |
| 4. Hampshire | 9. Cross |
| 5. Landrace | |

Rule 8

Limits on Entries: One exhibitor may show as many individuals as he or she desires with a limit of two (2) head per individual class. In the event of multiple validation names, each entry must be assigned an exhibitor at the time of weigh-in. An entry is defined as an animal qualifying for the show ring for which entry fees have been paid.

Rule 9

Care of Animals: All owners of livestock or others having livestock on exhibit shall care for, guard, protect and preserve same as the Knox County Junior Livestock Show or anyone associated with the show will not be responsible for livestock entered.

Rule 10

Sifting: All livestock will be sifted if the division superintendent thinks the animal is unfit to show, the exhibitor will be asked to remove the animal from the show grounds.

Rule 11

Decisions of Judges Final: The single judge system is the policy of the show, and in every case, the judge's decision is final.

Rule 12

Prize money not Earned: Without competition in any class, prize money placings will be determined by the judge.

Rule 13

Liability: All exhibitors will be under the control and direction of the Knox County Junior Livestock Show Chairman, But the management of the Knox County Junior Livestock Show, County Extension Agent, Ag Science Teacher and show personnel will in no case be responsible for any injury or damage done to or occasioned by or arising from any animal or article exhibited by him. The exhibitor shall notify the Knox County Junior Livestock Show officials, of property damage caused by any exhibitor or any animal arising out of or connected with such exhibition of any of the animals so exhibited.

Rule 14

Photographs of Champions: Exhibitors of Grand and Reserve Champion winners must make the animals available to have their pictures made immediately after judging; these photographs will become the property of the Knox County Junior Livestock Show to be used for publicity. The photographer will be designated before show time.

- Rule 15** **Protests:** All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$25.00 which will be forfeited if protest is sustained. Such protests must state plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and must be delivered to the Chairman of the Knox County Junior Livestock Show Board. Any protest as to eligibility on account of age or breed of animals must be filed prior to the class on which entry is to be judged.
- Rule 16** **Sanitation:** All classes of livestock will meet minimum health standards and if discovered during the show will be removed at discretion of superintendent.
- Rule 17** **Breeds:** All classes of livestock either purebred or crossbred are eligible to enter in both the market and breeding classes.
- Rule 18** **Classes:** It will require three(3) animals to make a class, if there are less than three those animals will go in the next smallest class or will be placed in a class they fit the best by the division superintendent.
- Rule 19** **Breeding Class:** Only heifers are eligible to show in the beef and dairy breeding classes.
- Rule 20** **Sale:** Individual must sell Grand and Reserve Grand Champion animals unless owned by the same exhibitor this does not include breed champions. An exhibitor may sell only **one** animal. In the event more than one animal qualifies for the sale, priority will be given to the species with greatest monetary value for that particular exhibitor. In the event an exhibitor has more than one animal qualify for the sale in the same species division priority will be given to placing and, if necessary, by order shown. Owners must sell their own animal to receive premium money unless excused by the show board. Each individual is guaranteed to sell one entry regardless of placing.
- Rule 21** **Showmanship:** To be eligible for Showmanship, exhibitor must own the animal shown within the division. Species Judge will select participants for showmanship classes in beef, swine and lamb projects. Species Judge will also select showmanship winners. Poultry and rabbit showmanship classes will be determined by Species Judge. At times of showmanship class, no outside assistance will be tolerated.
- Rule 22** **Validation and Ownership:** Validation procedures for the Knox County Jr. Livestock Show will follow state validation guidelines. Steers will be validated in June, lambs and goats in October and market swine in November. Exact validation dates will be set by the individual species validation committee. Meat rabbits must be owned for 45 days and will be validated in December. Exhibitors below third grade are only eligible to show non-state validated animals and will be issued county –only ear tags for steers, swine, sheep, and goats.
- Rule 23** **Exhibitor Numbers:** Exhibitor numbers will be issued with receipt of entry. Only persons with exhibitor numbers are eligible to show animals.
- Rule 24** **Classification:** Steers, market swine and market lambs will be classified at the time of weigh-in. In the event of multiple validation names, each entry must be assigned an exhibitor at the time of weigh-in.
- Rule 25** **Artificial Coloring:** Any animal which, when rubbed with a white cloth or glove shows residual evidence of artificial coloring, will be sifted, with the exception of dressing on hoofs.
- Rule 26** **Quality Assurance:** A zero tolerance policy is in place concerning performance enhancing substances or inhumane practices that alter the appearance of an animal. The Knox County Jr. Livestock Show will follow the Texas state validation ethics policy to ensure humane and fair treatment of animals. No substances shall be administered by any means to any animal while at the Knox County Junior Livestock Show unless under the direct supervision of a Ag Science teacher or County Extension Agent. Violation of this rule will result in an exhibitor being banned for 5 years from the Knox County Jr. Livestock Show.
- Rule 27** **Care of animals:** All grooming, fitting, feeding, and health protocols must be performed by exhibitors, parents, or certified Knox County 4-H or FFA adult leaders, County Extension Agent or Ag Science teachers. Custom fitters and jocks, out-of-county breeders, and in-county breeders who are not certified volunteers are especially excluded from these activities and are not allowed in pen areas at any time before or during weigh-in, show, or sale.
- Rule 28** **Show Violations:** Any exhibitor found in violation of any rule shall be disqualified from the show and forfeit any and all premium or prize money.