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- 1. Show Dates/Location**
 - a. Wednesday, December 4 – Saturday, December 7; Full schedule TBD
 - b. Amarillo Tri-State Fairgrounds, Amarillo, Texas
 - c. Entries Open – Approx. October 1

- 2. Judges – TBD**

- 3. Entry Information**
 - a. Eligible Exhibitors
 - i. Open to the world
 - ii. Grades K – 12th grade; no HS graduates; no additional “handlers” in show ring except in special needs circumstances
 - iii. Fee - \$95 per head/per species; includes Welcome Dinner, Showmanship, Show
 - iv. Entry limit per exhibitor – 4 per species
 - v. Limited total entries per species; entries accepted first-come, first served
 - vi. Showmanship Divisions by Grade:
 1. Pee-Wee: K – 3rd Grade
 2. Junior: 4th – 6th Grade
 3. Intermediate: 7th – 9th Grade
 4. Senior: Grades 10th – 12th Grade
 - b. Market Animals – No breeding divisions at this time
 - i. Health Requirement – Must comply with TAHC requirements (CVI, ID)
 - ii. Sex
 1. Cattle – Steers only (haired)
 2. Pigs – Barrows & Gilts (shown together within breed)
 3. Sheep – Wethers only
 4. Goats – Wethers only
 - iii. Turn-In Weight Range
 1. Cattle – #1000 – No Max
 2. Swine – #190 - #300
 3. Sheep – #85 – No Max
 4. Goats - #55 – No Max

- 4. Breeds/Divisions**
 - a. Classify your own; subject to judge emphasis
 - i. Cattle – Hereford (Horned/Polled), British Cross (Angus/Red Angus/Shorthorn), American Cross, Black Cross, All Other Cross
 - ii. Pigs – Berkshire, Dark OPB, White OPB, Duroc, Hampshire, Yorkshire, Light Cross, All Other Cross
 - iii. Sheep – Southdown, Dorper, Finewool, White-Faced Cross, Medium Wool
 - iv. Goats – 3 Weight Divisions

- 5. Premiums/Prizes – Minimum guaranteed**
- a. Payment Breakdown – All premiums of \$1000 or greater will be paid out on a 75%/25% split. 75% paid following the show; 25% paid in the form of scholarship when the exhibitor graduates. (Example: Grand Overall Steer Premium = \$15,000 paid following show; \$5,000 paid as scholarship when exhibitor graduates)
 - b. Showmanship Divisions
 - i. Each showmanship division winner will receive \$1,000 premium + Buckle
 - ii. Reserve showmanship division winner will receive \$500 + Banner
 - iii. Other showmanship prizes - TBD
 - c. Overall Premiums – Grand & Reserve Champion Overall (see Terminal/Non-Terminal below)
 - i. Cattle - Grand - \$20,000; Reserve - \$15,000
 - ii. Pigs - Grand - \$10,000; Reserve – \$7,500
 - iii. Sheep - Grand - \$7,500; Reserve - \$5,000
 - iv. Goat - Grand - \$7,500; Reserve - \$5,000
 - d. Breed/Division Premiums – Top 5 will be selected in each breed/division
 - i. Cattle: Champion \$1,000; Res. - \$500; 3rd - \$300; 4th - \$200; 5th - \$100
 - ii. Pigs: Champion - \$750; Res. – \$500; 3rd - \$300; 4th - \$200; 5th - \$100
 - iii. Sheep: Champion - \$750; Res. - \$500; 3rd - \$300; 4th - \$200; 5th - \$100
 - iv. Goat: Champion - \$750; Res. - \$500; 3rd - \$300; 4th - \$200; 5th - \$100
 - e. Classes/Heats – Ribbons & Other Prizes
- 6. Terminal/Non-Terminal**
- a. Exhibitors of the Grand and Reserve Overall animals will have the option to turn down the premium amount and take their animal home. However, if the exhibitor chooses to accept the Grand or Reserve Grand Overall premiums, their animal will be terminal.
 - b. All other animals will be non-terminal. Exhibitors will take their animals home. There is no floor option at this time.
- 7. Full Fit**
- a. All species will be full-fit within outlined rules which will be announced with the release of the official rule book at a later date
- 8. Drug Testing**
- a. Grand & Reserve Overall of each species will be subject to drug/residue testing
 - b. Random placing in each species may be subject to drug/residue testing

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