



FORT BEND COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION 2024 LAMB SHOW

CAPTAIN: Bruce Stevenson
Co-Captain: Rodney Korczynski

ONLINE ENTRY/PAPERWORK DEADLINE	Thursday, June 27, 2024	4:00 p.m.
TAG-IN	Saturday, June 29, 2024	6:30 – 8:30 a.m.
LAMB UNLOADING	Monday, September 30, 2024	begins 4:00 p.m.
CHECK-IN	Monday, September 30, 2024	6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
SHOW	Tuesday, October 01, 2024	6:30 p.m.
CHECK-OUT NON-PLACING	Wednesday, October 02, 2024	5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
CHECK-OUT PLACING	Sunday, October 06, 2024	7:30 – 10:00 a.m.

AWARDS

- Grand Champion Lamb – Buckle & Banner
- Reserve Champion Lamb – Buckle & Banner
- Class Champion – Banner
- 2nd – 5th – Leather Ribbon
- Champion Division Showmanship – Buckle
- Reserve Division Showmanship – Award

RULES

1. All market Lamb entries are subject to the Fort Bend County Fair Association General Rules and Regulations and the Livestock General Rules and Regulations.
2. *****Prior to tag-in, exhibitors are required to submit their entry and \$50.00 entry fee online at <https://fbcfa.fairwire.com> no later than June 27, 2024. All lambs must be brought to Fairgrounds for tagging and tattooing on June 29, 2024. All paperwork (entry form, W9, and Release of Liability) must be submitted and completed by June 27, 2024. Online Entry will only allow the exhibitor to enter one lamb online. The exhibitor can still tag-in multiple lambs. Each exhibitor will only be allowed to bring one lamb to official check-in at Fair time. For each division an online entry and /or paperwork (entry form, W9, and Release of Liability) is not submitted and/or not completed by the deadline, there will be a late fee of \$50.00 per exhibitor.**
3. All tags, including breeder tags, will be removed at tag-in on June 29, 2024, except SCRAPIE, major, or Texas State Fair validation tags.
4. All animals shall remain in Fort Bend County, at the address listed on the exhibitor's registration form, under the daily care of the exhibitor. Fort Bend County Fair projects are subject to random facility checks by Fort Bend County Fair officials. If an animal is found to be out of the county, during an official check, it will result in the project being disqualified from the Fort Bend County Fair. Animals will be allowed to leave the county overnight for shows, grooming or hoof trimming. Any animal needing to be absent from Fort Bend County for more than 72 hours must notify Fair Office to obtain approval from the Species Captain and/or Livestock Chairman. Eligible Katy I.S.D. students that do not live in Fort Bend County but are zoned to a Fort Bend County school must house their projects in Fort Bend County or the Katy I.S.D. school barn.
5. Lambs must be wethers or ewes. At check-in at Fair time, lambs must weigh a minimum of 100 pounds. Lambs will be allowed one re-weigh. Lambs will have one re-weigh with a three (3) pound variance given at official check-in at Fair.

6. NO ALTERNATES WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE OFFICIAL FAIR WEIGH-IN.
7. No animal, once checked in at Fair time, may leave the interior-gated premises until designated check-out times. Any animal observed out of the fenced area (i.e., parking lot) is subject to disqualification.
8. For the safety of the animal, they must remain muzzled at all times while in their pen. Additionally, exhibitors must secure the gate so that it does not come open.
9. Equipment: No trimming/blocking stands, show rails or blow dryers are allowed. Free-standing head stanchions must not block alleys and/or pedestrian traffic.
10. The Division Captain along with a Director in Charge and Livestock Chairman/Livestock Co-Chairman will assist to determine the number of classes based upon the number of entries at Fair time. Classes will be divided as evenly as possible by weight. The number of animals sold in the Junior Livestock Auction will remain the same.
11. Showmanship classes will follow rule 10 (g) in the Livestock Department General Rules.
12. **Judge's decision is final.**
13. Exhibitor will be responsible for providing his/her own pine shavings.
14. NO ARTIFICIAL COLORS OR ADDITIVES ARE TO BE USED ON SHEEP. Lambs must be slick shorn prior to arrival, no more than ¼ inch. Touch-up clipping will be allowed with scissors or battery-powered clippers. **Violation of this rule will subject the exhibitor to disqualification.**
15. The top forty (40) placing Lambs making the Jr. Livestock Auction must remain in the barn for the duration of the Fair. The release of non-placing Lambs will be the next day, **October 02, 2024, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** Any non-placing lambs not checking out at the posted time must remain in the barn for the duration of the Fair.
16. Check out for all LAMBS making the Jr. Livestock Auction or the Freezer Sale will be on Sunday, October 06, 2024, from 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. as outlined in the Fort Bend County Fair Livestock Schedule. Exhibitors must attend to clean up their pen/stall/area/tear down one pen or four panels to receive their disposition papers. Exhibitors **MUST** clean out pens when checking out their lamb.