



San Antonio
Stock Show & Rodeo®

FEBRUARY 9-26, 2023

UPDATES & REMINDERS

I. Junior Show General Information

Junior Show Entry: Entries are not considered complete unless they have been submitted online and paid by credit card or check postmarked on or before THURSDAY, December 1, 2022. Incomplete entries (entries either not submitted online or no credit card payment made or check not postmarked by December 1, 2022) will be assessed an additional 10% fee. Checks will only be accepted from a Club/Chapter Account, Cashier's Check or Money Order. No personal checks will be accepted.

- i. Late Entries: For any Junior Show entries submitted online and credit card payment or check postmarked from December 2-15, 2022, all standard entry fees will be doubled, if accepted.
- ii. Past Due Entries: For any Junior Show entries received from December 16, 2022, until the end of check-in for the respective show or contest, a past due entry fee of \$250 per entry will be assessed, if accepted.

Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Breeding, Junior Commercial and/or Junior Market Shows, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the online entry when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Breeding Show Ownership Deadlines:

Registration Certificates will be used to verify ownership date for breeding animals with the exception of Crossbred Gilts, Commercial Ewes and Commercial Does. Animals must be registered in the Herdbook of their Association in only the name of the Junior owner(s) on or before the required ownership date (see below). Registration Certificates must state the name of the Junior owner(s) only. Registration Certificates that list any additional names besides the name(s) the entry is validated under will be disqualified. Registration Certificates must be available upon request.

Purchase, delivery, possession, transfer, and registration must all take place on or before the required ownership date. Original Registration Certificates must be available during the show at all times.

Registered Sheep, Boer Breeding Goat: October 1, 2022 (Must be validated through Breeding Sheep or Breeding Goat Validation, respectively, on or before October 31, 2022) Note* Family validation is now allowed for breeding sheep and goats. Visit www.sheepandgoatvalidation.tamu.edu for complete validation guidelines.

Commercial Ewes, Commercial Does: October 31, 2022 (Must be validated through Breeding Sheep or Breeding Goat Validation, respectively, on or before October 31, 2022)

Angora Breeding Goat, Dairy Heifers, Beef Breeding Heifers: November 1, 2022 (Beef Breeding Heifers must complete all phases of heifer validation through the Texas 4-H & FFA Breeding Heifer Validation Program on or before November 8, 2022)

II. Junior Show Schedule/Changes

Junior Purebred Gilts - Feb. 7-9

Judge – Will Hilty; *Mount Pleasant, PA*

Associate Judge – Joe Grinstead; *Lebanon, IN*

- Feb. 8 Show Order - Duroc, Landrace, Hampshire, Berkshire
- Feb. 9 Show Order - Spot, Chester White, Poland China, Yorkshire
- Exhibitors may enter up to two (2) breeding gilts.
- Purebred Gilts MUST be state validated.

Junior Crossbred Gilt Show & Sale - Feb. 7-9

Judge – Brett Beyers; *Sibley, IL*

- Check-In - Feb. 7; Show - Feb. 8; Sale - Feb. 9
- 1 entry per exhibitor.
- Crossbred Gilts MUST be state validated.
- All gilts qualifying for the auction will be required to sell **AND will not be eligible to show in any additional 2023 Spring Major Shows.**

Junior Dairy Cattle - Feb. 8-10

Judge – Julie Hemp; *Beaverville, IL*

Junior Registered Boer Goats - Feb. 10-11

Judge – Brent Jennings; *Kenly, NC*

Junior Commercial Doe - Feb. 10-11

Judge – Brent Jennings; *Kenly, NC*

- Formerly called Wether Doe.

Junior Registered Breeding Sheep - Feb. 10-11

Judge – Randy Pirtle; *Copan, OK*

Junior Commercial Ewe - Feb. 10-11

Judge – Colby Redifer; *Columbia, MO*

- Formerly called Wether Dam.

Junior Angora Breeding Goats - Feb. 10-11

Judge – Jason Bannowsky; *Menard, TX*

- Angora Goats must be machine shorn to the skin on or after July 15th and may not have a staple length greater than 8” on show day.

Junior Market Goats - Feb. 13-14; Auction - Thursday, Feb. 23 @ 11 am

Judge – Marty Gibbs; *Ballinger, TX*

Junior Market Lambs - Feb. 13-15; Auction - Thursday, Feb. 23 @ 3 pm

Judge – Gene Winn; *Estancia, NM*

Junior Breeding Beef Heifers - Wave 1 - Feb. 13-14; Wave 2 - Feb. 16-17

Wave 1 – ARRIVAL: All American breeds and ONLY Simmentals & ORBs ENTERED in SUPERBOWL

Judges – (North Ring) Brady Jensen; *Brookings, SD*

– (South Ring) Blake Nelson; *Platte City, MO*

- Feb. 14 Show Order – North Ring – Simbrah, Red Brangus, Brangus, ARB
- South Ring – Brahman, Beefmaster, Santa Gertrudis
- ARB Recognized Breeds for 2023:

ARB (American Registered Breeds): Open to heifers of *Bos indicus* type that have been registered or issued a certificate of recordation with a recognized breed association on or before Nov. 1, 2022. The breeds recognized are Beefmaster Advancer, Braford, Brangus Premium Gold/Brangus Built, Brangus Optimizer, Brangus UltraBlack, Brangus UltraRed, Certified Beefmaster E6, Golden Certified F1, Percentage Simbrah, Simbravieh and Star 5.

Wave 1 – DEPARTURE: All cattle not entered in Superbowl must be out of barn by 10 AM on 2/15

All remaining cattle except Simmentals & ORBs must be out of barn by NOON on 2/15

Junior Breeding Beef Heifers—Continued

Wave 2 – ARRIVAL: British & Continental breeds

Judges – (North Ring) Dr. Dave Nichols; *Manhattan, KS*

– (South Ring) Tyler Cates; *Modoc, IN*

- Feb. 17 Show Order – North Ring – Hereford, Simmental, Shorthorn, Chianina, Maine-Anjou
– South Ring – Angus, Limousin, Charolais, Red Angus, ORB

- ORB Recognized Breeds for 2023:

ORB (Other Registered Breeds): Open to heifers of *Bos taurus* type that have been registered or issued a certificate of recordation with a recognized breed association on or before Nov. 1, 2022. The breeds recognized are Braunvieh, Lim-Flex, MaineTainer, Percentage Charolais, Percentage Chianina, Percentage Simmental, Red Angus Category 1B and Shorthorn Plus.

- All 4-H and FFA members are required to validate their heifer projects through the Texas 4-H & FFA Heifer Validation Program.

Junior Market Barrows - Wave 1 - Feb. 17-19 Wave 2 - Feb. 21-23;

- Auction - Friday, Feb. 24 @ 2 pm

Judges – Doug Albright; *Coldwater, MI* (Spot, Poland China, Dark Crossbred, Landrace, Crossbred)
David Korb; *Oxford, OH* (Berkshire, Hampshire, Duroc, Chester White, Yorkshire)

• **Official turn-in weight range is: minimum 250 lbs. to MAXIMUM 300 lbs. inclusive**

- Wave 1 Show Order – Day 1: Berkshire, Spot, Poland, Hampshire; Day 2: Duroc, Dark Crossbred

- Wave 2 Show Order – Day 1: Chester, York, Landrace, Light Weight Cross; Day 2: Remaining Crosses

Junior Market Steers - Wave 1 - Feb. 20-21, Wave 2 - Feb. 22-24;

- Auction - Saturday, Feb. 25 @ 10 am

Judge – Chris Mullinix; *Manhattan, KS*

Assistant Judge – Krisha Geffert; *Reedsburg, WI*

- Tuesday, Feb. 21 Show Order: Maine-Anjou, Charolais, Simmental, Simbrah, Brahman, Santa Gertrudis, Brangus, ABC

- Thursday, Feb. 23 Show Order: Angus, Shorthorn, Hereford, Red Angus, Limousin, Red Cross

- Friday, Feb. 24 Show Order: Black Cross, Other Cross

Junior Commercial Steers - Feb. 20-21

- Exhibitors must own their steers on or before September 7, 2022

Junior Market Poultry - Feb. 8; Auction - Friday, Feb. 24 @ 11 am

Junior Market Broiler Judge – Keith Staggs; *College Station, TX*

Junior Turkey Hen Judge – Daniel DeLeon; *Bryan, TX*

Junior Turkey Tom Judge – Glenn Clinard; *Rockdale, TX*

PREMIUM PASS

Available in 2023 for the following species arrivals only:

Junior Purebred Gilt, Crossbred Gilt

Junior Market Lamb & Goat

Junior Breeding Heifer Wave 1 and 2

Junior Market Barrow Wave 1 and 2

- Optional NON-TRANSFERABLE pass providing an expedited arrival service at SCP
- Available for purchase during time of entry
- Must meet minimum head-per-trailer requirement to be eligible

III. Junior Contests

Agriculture Video Challenge

- Individual contest; 1-2 minute video submission over theme outlined in the 2023 Livestock Premium List

Online Submission by Sat., Jan. 15

Swine Skillathon - Tues., Feb. 7

Exposition Hall 2

Landscape Challenge - Wed., Feb. 8

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Nursery Landscape Judging - Wed., Feb. 8

Exposition Hall 2

Food Challenge - Thurs., Feb. 9

Exposition Hall 2

Dairy Judging Contest - Thurs., Feb. 9

Cattle Barn

Wildlife Judging Contest - Fri., Feb. 10

*National Shooting Complex

Agricultural Public Speaking - Sat., Feb. 11

*Education Service Center, R-20

Wool Judging Contest - Sat., Feb. 11

SALE Headquarters

Horse Judging Contest - Mon., Feb. 13

Freeman

Sheep Skillathon - Mon., Feb. 13

Morris Activity Center

Beef Cattle Skillathon - Mon., Feb. 13

Cattle Barn

Junior Shoot-Out - Feb. 15-19

*National Shooting Complex

Agrobotics Challenge - Thurs., Feb. 16

Exposition Hall 2

Poultry Judging Contest - Thurs., Feb. 16

Morris Activity Center

Floriculture Contest - Fri., Feb. 17

Exposition Hall 2

Meat Science Skillathon - Fri., Feb. 17

SALE Headquarters

Consumer Decision Making Contest - Sat., Feb. 18

SALE Headquarters

Agricultural Science Fair - Sat., Feb. 18

Cattle Barn

- Documentation must be electronically submitted on or before Jan. 10, 2023

Meat Judging Contest - Sun., Feb. 19

*HEB

Ag Mechanics Sales Competition & Marketplace - Feb. 24-26

Swine Barn

Junior Ag Mechanics Show - Feb. 24-26

Morris Activity Center/Swine Barn

Livestock Judging Contest - Sun., Feb. 26

Cattle Barn

* Off Grounds Location ** To Be Announced

IV. Open Show Entries must be submitted online and postmarked on or before December 1, 2022.

V. Calf Scramble

2023 Calf Scramble Participants:

- Application, Entry Procedures and Rules will be posted at www.sarodeo.com by November 1, 2022.

2022 Calf Scramble Participants:

- **Report Book Deadline – Report Book must be submitted online by January 20, 2023.**

- Report Deadlines – Reports must be submitted by the 10th of their respective month.

Attention: Please make certain the correct club/chapter AND exhibitor contact information (mailing address, phone number and email address) is provided at time of entry. This information is critical to communication updates, payments and scholarships. We appreciate your assistance with this detail.

All dates, times, and locations are subject to change.

Please refer to the 2023 Competitive Events Premium List for additional information.

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Significant Changes and Updates for 2023

- Premium List to be released October 1, 2022 – Please read and if you have any questions, contact us.
- NOTE: There will be no RV Campers/ Trailers allowed onto Salado Creek Property.
- All Contests with the exception of Western Art will be allowed to be entered by CTE/STEM Programs statewide. All livestock shows and calf scramble will remain 4-H/FFA members only.
- Junior Show Entries will increase \$5/animal.
- Handling fee will be \$10 per Club/Chapter and individual Open Show Entries
 - All passes for Junior Show will be mailed to the respective County/Chapter/CTE or STEM Program.
- All Premium Passes **must** be purchased during the ONLINE ENTRY PROCESS. Closes December 15th, 2022.
- **Bedding:** NO OUTSIDE BEDDING WILL BE ALLOWED. All bedding will be provided by the show. The use of artificial grass mats and carpets are prohibited as bedding in all barns. Straw/hay bedding is prohibited in beef cattle stalls. Insofar as possible, appropriate types of bedding will be available for sale on the Grounds at the FEED STORE. Discretion as to what constitutes acceptable bedding is held exclusively by Show Management.
 - Premium Shavings (Champion Shavings) will be provided and additional bags available for purchase.
 - Shavings, Pellets and Straw will be available. Cedar fiber will still be used for Angora goats.
- REMINDER: If you want to stall together, you must arrive at Salado Creek Property together.
- **Unloading:** In order to expedite the unloading process, exhibitors are asked to follow all directions related to arrival at SCP and Grounds. Once on Grounds, exhibitors must follow unloading directions by volunteers and security. Any resistance or failure to follow instructions by the driver will make any animals on that trailer subject to disqualification. Exhibitors taking an excessive amount of time to unload will be warned and given a deadline to complete unloading. Those failing to meet the deadline may be subject to removal by tow truck at the discretion of SALE staff and volunteer committee leadership at the vehicle owner's expense.
- There will be no pre-stalling for market lambs and goats.
- **Exhibitor Campgrounds:** Campground space will be extremely limited for most shows. Parents, CEAs, ASTs, adult leaders or their representatives are asked to assist in reducing the number of chairs from their respective county or chapter. No tables will be permitted to be set up in the Livestock Barns. Nothing will be allowed to be set up in designated Fire Lanes. Exhibitors must be aware of their surroundings and cognizant of others when making space for their campgrounds. Exhibitors abusing campground areas will be subject to disqualification.
- **SCHEDULE – There are some changes. Check it out.**
- Several Entry System UPDATES have been made to improve user experience.
- No OPEN Gilt Show in 2023
- No OPEN Hereford Show in 2023; Open Show Breeds – Beefmaster, Brahman, Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Miniature Herefords and Haltered Texas Longhorns. Premier and Reserve Premier American Bull and Female will be named and awarded additional Premiums.
- Market Barrows: 250 to 300 pounds
- Market Steers:
 - Move Herefords to 2nd Wave and Simmentals to 1st Wave
 - Substitute Exhibitors will not be allowed to show in the class immediately before or after their own class.
- Ag Public Speaking – moved back to entire contest in-person at ESC Region 20

- Ag Mechancis
 - New Class – 1503 Yard and Garden Tractors
 - Class Name Update – 503 Small Buildings and Gazebos
 - Verbiage/Explanation on BBQ pits and cooking devices
- Ag Mech Marketplace – Market Value maximum increased to \$6,000
- Junior Shoot-Out – Changing event from Modified Trap to American Trap Doubles
- Photos of our new contest area at Headquarters (HDQTRS)

