

**78th Annual Kissimmee Valley
Livestock Show & Fair, Inc.**

February 11th – 20th, 2022

Exhibitor Handbook



1911 Kissimmee Valley Lane, Kissimmee, Florida 34744

www.osceolacountyfair.com

If you would like to enter a contest or exhibit at the Fair,

Use the forms, rules and classes available below:

The 78th Annual Osceola County Fair

General Manager, Directors, Committee Chairpersons

Sponsored by Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show & Fair, Inc. in cooperation with the Florida State Department of Agriculture, University of Florida Cooperative Extension Services and the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County.

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Alumni Round Robin, Michael Crosby

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Baby Hearts Pageant, Amanda Lauler

Children's Pet Show, Heather Yarborough

Creative Arts, Beverly Frankenberg/ Diann Arthur

Fruit Crops, Jamie Burrow

Dog Show, Jackie Spence

Market Goat, Tracy Boggs

Market Hog, Dewayne Goodson

Market Lamb, Lisa Toms

Market Steer & Open Steer, Bridget Coggins

Youth Breeding Sheep, Lisa Toms

Poultry Show, Annette Nation

Premier Exhibitor, Ashley Nimits

Purebred Cattle Shows, Tara McCommon

Round Robin Showmanship, Ronnie Beam

Youth Rabbit Show, Kathy Gantz

Youth Scholarship, Brooke Davis

State Dairy Goat Show, Neal Hughes

Truck & Tractor Pulls, Mark Hall

Youth Beef Heifer Karrie Haskett

Youth Breeding Goat, Cyndi Bronson-Glasheen

Youth Exhibits, Andrea Plylar

Youth Open Hog, Andrew Jordon

OSCEOLA COUNTY FAIR & LIVESTOCK SHOW GUIDELINES FOR EXHIBITION

1. The Osceola County Fair & Livestock Show does not take responsibility for lost, damaged or misdirected forms, entries or articles of exhibit.
2. All rules are subject to the interpretation of the Board of Directors of the Fair. All decisions made by the Board are final. This Board reserves the right to deny or allow any entry to the Fair and Fairgrounds.
3. All non-commercial exhibits must check in according to committee guidelines as published. No exhibit may leave the grounds prior to the scheduled release dates & times as indicated in the various calendars and/or individual department or section rules.
4. In all events and exhibits being judged, the judge's decision shall be final.
5. All entries, if not claimed by close of check out time shall become the property of the Fair. All premiums will be paid and checks mailed within 6 weeks after the fair ends. Premium checks MUST be cashed within 60 days of the issue date.
6. A \$30.00 fee or 5% of the face amount will be charged for any bad check received by the Fair for entries, animal sales, sponsorships, contracts, etc.
7. Any formal complaints shall be presented in writing within six (6) hours of the discrepancy to the Fair Office to be handled as they see fit.
8. Any exhibitor or vendor conducting or participating in any illegal or immoral activities on the Fairgrounds shall forfeit all rights to display at the Fair and will lose any monies owed or paid by/to the Fair for premiums, sales, privilege agreements, etc.
9. If these rules contradict any committee rule(s) the committee rule(s) shall prevail.
10. By signing any privilege agreement, license, entry form, etc., participant agrees to release and discharge the Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show & Fair, Inc. and the Board of Directors & staff thereof from all liabilities, claims, and demands of whatever kind or nature that may arise from or be connected with the participant's participation in any activity sponsored by Kissimmee Valley Livestock Show & Fair, Inc.

**To 4-H/FFA Exhibitors, Open Show Exhibitors and Parents/Guardians
for the 2022 Fair:**

Exhibitors will be issued General Admission passes NO Photo ID Badges will be issued to exhibitors for the 2022 Osceola County Fair.

Please check the Event Calendar for a complete listing of distribution dates and times, as these are subject to change.

DOG show | (DS)

Chairperson(s)/Contact Information:

- Jackie Spence, (407) 947-4329 | engff51b@aol.com

ELIGIBILITY:

- Exhibitor must be five (5) years old by September 1, of the current 4-H year.
- Cloverbuds may enter all classes, however they will only receive premium for only one class. Cloverbuds will not be judged, but will receive feed back on performance.
- Exhibitor must be a current member of Osceola County 4-H or FFA and may enter all open class shows.

GENERAL RULES:

- Registration is ONLINE only.
- The show will be held on Sunday, February 6th, 2022, in the KVLS Arena. Time TBA. This will be held PRIOR to the Fair.
- All animals must have proof of vaccinations. Please bring this to the workshop you attend. (See Event Calendar for dates and times).
- Females in season will not be allowed to participate.
- All males must be neutered.
- KVLS show committee shall reserve the right to refuse entry to any aggressive people or animals.
 - **MANDATORY PARTICIPATION IS REQUIRED AT A SCHEDULED WORKSHOP, DATES TO BE ANNOUNCED** with your dog to participate in the show. This will be strictly enforced. This is for the safety of everyone involved. Please bring every dog that you intend to exhibit.
- All exhibitors will be responsible for cleaning up after their dog.
- Animals **MUST** be kept on a leash at all times.
- Talking to your dog is always encouraged and acceptable while exhibiting. No touching will be allowed.
- No pinch collars will be allowed.
- Treats may be given between exercises, but not during the exercise for Obedience and Rally.
- Dogs must be clean, nails trimmed, coat brushed and parasite free.
- Dress required is white shirt or club t-shirt with dark pants.
- Limit of one dog per class. You may exhibit a different dog in each class as long as all dogs have attended the mandatory workshop.

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SECTION 1 - Showmanship

CLASSES:

01. Cloverbud
02. Novice
 - All ages compete together unless the number of entries warrants splitting age divisions.
03. Advanced
 - All ages compete together unless the number of entries warrants splitting age divisions.

SECTION 2 - Skill-a-thon

CLASSES:

01. Cloverbud (age 5-7)
02. Junior (age 8-10)
03. Intermediate (age 11-13)
04. Senior (age 14-18)

SECTION 3 - Obedience

CLASSES:

01. Cloverbud.
 - Cloverbuds will follow the Novice Obedience Test.
02. Novice
 - All ages compete together unless the number of entries warrants splitting age divisions.
03. Advanced
 - All ages compete together unless the number of entries warrants splitting age divisions.

Novice Obedience Test:

- Heel on leash as directed
- Heel in Figure 8
- Sit and Down commands
- Recall
- Stand for examination

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Advanced Obedience Test:

- Heel on leash as directed
- Heel in Figure 8
- Sit and Down commands
- Recall
- Stand for examination
- Long sit (1 minute, on 6' lead)
- Long down (3 minute, on 6' lead)

SECTION 4 – Rally Obedience

CLASSES:

01. Cloverbud

02. Novice

- All ages compete together unless the number of entries warrants splitting age divisions.

02. Advanced

- All ages compete together unless the number of entries warrants splitting age divisions.

SECTION 5 – Poster Contest

CLASSES:

01. All Entries

- All ages compete together unless the number of entries warrants splitting age divisions.
- Posters must not exceed 22" x 14" in size and can depict any topic related to dogs: Example: care, history, training, psychology, breeds, or careers.

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SECTION 6 – Costume Contest

CLASSES:

01. All Entries

- All ages compete together unless the number of entries warrants splitting age division.
- Costume Contest is open to all 4-H and FFA members.
- Dogs must be shown in at least one of the classes above in order to be shown in the costume contest and can only be shown by registered exhibitor.
- There will be a 15-minute break before the Costume Contest in order to get the dogs dressed.
 - Participation Ribbons Only – 1st-5th Place in each class
 - Premiums not paid in costume categories.
 - Awards will be non-premium donation.

Awards:

All 1st-3rd place winners will receive premiums and ribbons.

- Blue ribbon \$5.00
- Red ribbon \$3.00
- White ribbon \$2.00
- Cloverbud One (1) premium for show, plus cloverbud ribbons for all classes competed.

Dog Show Champion of Champions

The following classes will be used to tabulate this award:

- Showmanship
- Skillathon
- Informational Poster
- Rally Obedience
- Obedience

Showmanship is mandatory for consideration in this award. Each section gets a point value; all points will be added together with the highest score receiving:

- **Champion of Champions - \$25**

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