

HEART O' TEXAS



LIVESTOCK SHOW

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**HEART O' TEXAS LIVESTOCK SHOW
EXHIBITOR CATALOG**

Waco, Texas

September 30-

October 18, 2020

**THIS CATALOG & SCHEDULE ARE TENTATIVE DUE TO
COVID-19 & OPEN TEXAS GUIDELINES**

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2020 Heart O' Texas Livestock Show
Exhibitor Catalog
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CONTINUING EDUCATION FUND

The Continuing Education Fund has been established to award scholarships to deserving young people who participate and win at the Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo.

The fund establishes \$2,000 scholarships for Grand Champions, \$1,000 scholarships for Reserve Grand Champions, \$500 scholarships for Breed Champions and \$250 scholarships for Reserve Breed Champions in the following seven categories of the Junior Livestock Show:

- Junior Steer Show
- Junior Swine Show (No Breed or Reserve BC scholarships)
- Junior Purebred Breeding Gilt Show (No Breed or Reserve BC scholarships)
- Junior Lamb Show
- Junior Goat Show
- Junior Beef Heifer Show – American
- Junior Beef Heifer Show – British
- Junior Beef Heifer Show – Continental

Scholarships are limited to one per animal per year. An exhibitor may win multiple scholarships with different animals or in different years. Scholarships are cumulative for all years of participation. See example below:

Year 1

Exhibitor A	GC Steer (Angus)	\$2,000
	Breed Champ Angus Steer	\$500 (Forfeit for GC)
	Breed Champ Heifer	<u>\$500</u>
	Total for year:	\$2,500

Year 2:

Exhibitor A	Breed Champion Steer	\$500
	Breed Champ Heifer	\$500
	Division Champ Goat	<u>\$500</u>
	Total for year:	\$1,500
	Total for both years:	\$4,000



To All Our Exhibitors & Families:

On behalf of the Extraco Events Center welcome to the 2020 Heart O' Texas Livestock Show. We are looking forward to this year's events. We are also very excited about our new EXPO Center, "The BASE" which will open in 2021. If you were here last year, I am sure you noticed the changes due to the ongoing new construction happening at our facility. The construction will be ongoing again this year. But, due to our hard working, dedicated staff, management team, and volunteers we pledge to do our best to make your experience a good one. We will continue this year with our goal of "Raising the Standard" to make your visit enjoyable. We thank you in advance for your patience during this process. If you are new to our facility this year, we welcome you and look forward to meeting you.

The COVID-19 Pandemic has taken a toll on all of us, both socially and economically. Your health and safety are our top priority. With that in mind, we have implemented a few changes and guidelines this year which will be new, with your health and safety in mind.

The Heart O' Texas Livestock Show will continue to be one of the premier events in Central Texas. We are proud of the fact that we presented over \$250,000 in scholarships in 2019 and commit to you to do our best to exceed that number in 2020.

We hope you can find the time in your busy schedules to visit the rodeo and the other festivities on the grounds during your visit.

Good luck at the 2020 Heart O' Texas Livestock Show.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Lewis". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Mike Lewis
Chairman of the Board of Directors
Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo

GENERAL INFORMATION

Welcome:

The Heart O' Texas Livestock Show encourages your participation in this year's show(s).

The Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo staff looks forward to hosting you and your exhibits at the Extraco Show Pavilion, and we welcome you to Waco.

Mission Statement:

“Our mission is to produce events for education, entertainment and agricultural experiences at the premier multi-use facility while giving back through youth scholarships and a positive economic impact to Central Texas.”

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DIRECTIONS TO EXTRACO EVENTS CENTER

I-35 from the North - Take Valley Mills Dr. Exit. Turn right on Valley Mills Dr. Turn right on Lake Air Drive. Go beside the Extraco Coliseum, Show Pavilion and the Stall barn. Follow signage to staging area and livestock entrance.

Hwy. 84 East - Take Loop 340 North and follow directions as coming in from the North on I-35.

Hwy. 6 from the South - Stay on Hwy 6 towards Meridian. Cross over I-35 and Hwy 84, exit Bosque Blvd. and turn right. Go 1-1/2 miles and turn left on Lake Air Drive. Go beside the Extraco Coliseum, Show Pavilion and the Stall barn. Follow signage to staging area and livestock entrance.

Hwy. 77 from the South - About 1/2 mile past the intersection of Hwy. 77 and Loop 340, turn left onto Garden Dr. will turn into New Road. Take New Road to Bosque Blvd. Turn Left on Bosque Blvd. Go beside the Extraco Coliseum, Show Pavilion and the Stall barn. Follow signage to staging area and livestock entrance.



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2020 Judges List

Junior American Beef Heifers	Dean Fuchs
Junior British/Continental Beef Heifers	Shellie Collins
Junior Market Goats	Derrick Brown
Junior Market Hogs	Justin Rogers
Junior Crossbred Gilt Show	Ian Schaefer
Junior Market Lambs	Joe Hobbs
Junior Market Steers	
Jackpot Market Goats	Eric Zimmerman
Jackpot Market Hogs	Luke Parr
Jackpot Market Lambs	Wayne Morse
The United American Beef Heifers	
The United British/Continental Beef Heifers	Dean Fuchs
The United Breeding Gilt Show	Ian Schaefer
The United Prospect Steers	Spencer Scotten
Scramble American, British/Continental Beef Heifers	
Scramble Ewes	Wayne Morse
Scramble Gilts	Luke Parr



Heart O' Texas Livestock Show & The United Show Schedule
September 30 - October 18, 2020
****Subject to Change****
(HOTFR- Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo)

	WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2020
12 Noon-10 PM	All Heifers begin arrival
	THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2020
7-11 AM	All Heifers continue arrival
9 AM-2 PM	Kiosk check-in – All Heifers
4 PM	HOTFR Scramble Heifer Show
	FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2020
8 AM	HOTFR Junior American Heifer Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
8 AM	HOTFR Junior British/Continental Heifer Show – Extraco Coliseum
	The United Showmanship Show following shows conclusion Extraco Show Pavilion
	SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2020
8 AM	The United American Heifer Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
8 AM	The United British/Continental Heifer Show – Extraco Coliseum
	Supreme Drive following last breed drive conclusion – Extraco Show Pavilion
8 AM	Release Heifers
	SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2020
1-8 PM	Steer Move-in
	MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2020
7-11 AM	Steers continue arrival
9 AM-2 PM	Kiosk check-in – All Steers
	TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2020
8 AM	HOTFR Junior Market Steer Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
	The United Showmanship Show following Grand Champion Selection Extraco Show Pavilion
	WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2020
8 AM	The United Prospect Steer Show Grand Champion drive following last breed drive conclusion
9 AM	Release all steers
	SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2020
1-5 PM	Sheep move-in
3-6 PM	Kiosk check-in

	SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2020
8 AM	HOTFR Scramble Sheep Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
9 AM	HOTFR Junior Lamb Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
	MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2020
8 AM	HOTFR Jackpot Lamb Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
9 AM	Release all lambs
	TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2020
1-5 PM	Goat move-in
3- 6 PM	Kiosk check-in
	WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2020
8 AM	HOTFR Junior Goat Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
	HOTFR Jackpot Goat Show following Jr. Goat Show-Extraco Show Pavilion
1 PM	Release all goats
	THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2020
1-7 PM	All Swine begin arrival
	FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2020
7-11 AM	All Swine continue to arrive
9 AM-1 PM	Kiosk check-in
3 PM	HOTFR Jackpot Swine Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
	SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2020
8 AM	HOTFR Scramble Swine Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
9 AM	HOTFR Junior Swine Show
2 PM	Release all hogs
	SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2020
8 AM	The United Breeding Gilt Show – Extraco Show Pavilion
	HOTFR Crossbred Gilt Show following the United Breeding Gilt Show
	The United Showmanship Show following the Crossbred Gilt Show
10 AM	Release Gilts

All dates and times are subject to change based on Open Texas, city and county guidelines

ENTRY FEES & DEADLINES

Entries Open: August 3, 2020

Online Entries Close: September 11, 2020

Entries after September 11, 2020

\$500 Plus Entry Fee; Per Animal Per Show

(Cash or Credit Card Only)

(A W9 & Release Form for each exhibitor must be received in our office by September 18th to receive passes in advance. Credentials will be mailed to CEA/AST via certified mail. Paperwork not received by September 18th; passes will be picked up by CEA/AST upon arrival on grounds. See Passes on page 19 for additional information.

ENTRY FEES

SHOWS CAN BE ENTERED ONLINE ONLY

HOTFR Junior Breeding Beef Heifers (<i>per head</i>)	\$30
HOTFR Junior Market Steers (<i>per head</i>)	\$30
HOTFR Junior Market Lambs (<i>per head</i>)	\$30
HOTFR Jackpot Market Lambs (<i>per head</i>)	\$30
HOTFR Junior Market Goats (<i>per head</i>)	\$30
HOTFR Jackpot Market Goats (<i>per head</i>)	\$30
HOTFR Junior Market Hogs (<i>per head</i>)	\$30
HOTFR Jackpot Market Hogs (<i>per head</i>)	\$30
HOTFR Junior Crossbred Gilt Show	\$30
The United Breeding Beef Heifers (<i>per head</i>)	\$70
The United Prospect Steers (<i>per head</i>)	\$70
The United Breeding Gilt Show	\$70

PASSES

***Processing Fee*..... \$20 per Chapter or 4-H**

NEW FOR 2020

- **The United:** The United is a unique, one-year partnership show with the State Fair of Texas to offer more opportunities for youth across Texas. Exhibitors will be able to show Breeding Beef Heifers, Prospect Market Steers, and Purebred Breeding Gilts in a show unlike any other in Texas.
- **HOT Calf Scramble Chute-Out:** This is the second year for the HOT Chute-Out. The top two (2) contestants from each scramble performance (a total of 14) will qualify to scramble again at the Chute Out on Sunday, October 18, and will receive an upgraded Purchase Certificate of \$1,000 upon scrambling. The Top Five (5) who catch at the Chute-Out will earn an additional \$500 for a total Purchase Certificate of \$1,500. This certificate goes towards the purchase of a breeding heifer, ewe, or gilt to exhibit at the 2021 Heart O' Texas Livestock Show!
- **New for 2020/2021 Calf Scramble:** All those who catch will choose between a heifer (\$600 Purchase Certificate), lamb, pig or goat (\$300 Purchase Certificate).
- **Stalling:** All animals will be stalled upon arrival. To stall together you must arrive together.
- **Shavings:** Stalls will not be pre-bedded. Shavings will be for sale on the grounds or exhibitors can bring their own.
- **Drug Testing/Residue Avoidance Program is in effect.**

PLEASE READ THE LIVESTOCK SCHEDULE CAREFULLY!!!!
THERE ARE MANY CHANGES TO ALL
SPECIE SHOW DATES & TIMES.

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**Heart O' Texas Fair Livestock Show
Animal Health Summary of Requirements
Effective: January, 2020**

These regulations are subject to change at any time.

The following summary is a condensed version of the Texas Animal Health Commission regulations. The regulations will supersede this summary if there is a dispute between the two. FOR MORE INFORMATION, contact the Texas Animal Health Commission by calling (512) 719-0777 (24 hours) or 1(800) 550-8242, ext. 777, or by writing the TAHC, P.O. Box 12966, Austin, TX 78711-2966.

The Heart O' Texas Fair Livestock Junior Shows are restricted to intrastate entries. The Open Livestock Shows are open, interstate shows, accepting entries of livestock from within Texas and other states.

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection: The certificate must indicate that the accredited veterinarian found the animals or fowl to be free of symptoms or evidence of communicable disease and that all tests, immunizations or treatments required by the Commission were completed. For certain diseases, a specific statement may be required indicating disease free status. The certificate is required to accompany animals and fowl entering the Heart O' Texas Livestock Show as stated in the following summary of entry requirements. THE CERTIFICATE IS VALID FOR 30 DAYS FOR ALL SPECIES.

CATTLE (BEEF & DAIRY)

Junior & Jackpot Market Steers

1. Junior Market & Prospect Steers do NOT require a CVI.

Texas Origin Breeding Cattle

2. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection current, within 30 (thirty) days.
3. All dairy cattle must be identified with official ID and recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection.
4. Any bulls changing ownership must have a negative trichomoniasis test within 60 days; with an exception of virgin stamp on health certificates (CVI). (Does not apply to exhibition only Bulls)

Out-of-State Origin Cattle

1. Must meet the same requirements as Texas Origin Breeding Cattle.
2. Negative tuberculosis (TB) test within 60 days for all sexually intact dairy cattle that are 2 months of age or older or originate from an accredited tuberculosis free herd. In addition, all sexually intact dairy cattle originating from a

state or area with anything less than a tuberculosis free state status shall be tested negative for tuberculosis in accordance with the appropriate requirements for states or areas for that status, prior to entry with results of the test recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection.

3. All bulls entering Texas for the purpose of participating at fairs, shows, exhibitions and/or rodeos and returning to the state of origin, which are more than (12) months of age and capable of breeding may enter the state without testing for trichomoniasis, but shall obtain a permit prior to entry into the state. Bulls permitted for entry into the State of Texas under the provisions of this subsection shall not be commingled with female cattle or used for breeding. Bulls that stay in the state more than sixty (60) days must be tested negative for trichomoniasis with one official Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test.
4. The Permit for Entry is not required when cattle enter for exhibition and return to the state of origin, except for exhibition bulls that do not meet TAHC's Trich entry Requirements.
5. All sexually intact cattle entering Texas for exhibition purposes and originating from Idaho, Montana or Wyoming must be officially identified and must have a statement on the certificate of veterinary inspection that the animals have never resided in the DSA. Types of official identification:
 - a. Official Alpha-numeric USDA metal ear tags (bangs tags)
 - b. Official Alpha-numeric USDA metal vaccination tags
 - c. Official 840 or 900 RFID tags (900 series tags are no longer official if applied to the animal after March 11, 2015)
 - d. Official 840 flap or bangle tags
 - e. Official individual animal breed registry tattoos or brands
 - f. National Dairy Fair Tag or Dairy Herd improvement Association Tag

GOATS

1. Junior & Jackpot Market Goats are NOT required to have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.

SHEEP

1. Junior & Jackpot Market Lambs are NOT required to have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.
2. All sexually intact exhibition sheep must be officially identified with a Scrapie Eradication Program ear tag.

SWINE

Junior Breeding Swine

1. Certificate of Veterinary Inspection current, within 30 (thirty) days listing identification and including a statement that they have not been fed garbage, have not been exposed to pseudorabies, have not been vaccinated for pseudorabies, and have not originated from a premises known to be affected by Novel Swine Enteric Coronavirus Disease(s) (SECD), and have not been exposed to SECD within the last 30 days.
2. Leptospirosis vaccination is required on breeding swine, 6 months of age and older, within 30 (thirty) days with Leptospirosis vaccine containing the following strains: Canicola, Hardjo, Icterohaemorrhagiae, Grippotyphosa, and Pomona.

Junior & Jackpot Swine

1. Junior and Jackpot Market Swine are NOT required to have a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection.



GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

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STATEMENT OF LIABILITY: All exhibits are under the direction of the Show Management. The Heart O' Texas Livestock Show (HOT Livestock Show) is not responsible for any loss or damage that may occur even as a result of our own negligence. The exhibitor will be solely responsible for any consequential or other loss, injury or damage to, or occasioned by, or arising from, any animal or article exhibited by him/her and for its description as given in the catalog. He or she shall indemnify the HOT Livestock Show against all legal or other proceedings in regard thereto, as well as any damage or injury to any other person or property, caused by exhibitor or any of the animals exhibited with such exhibition or any of the animal exhibited, even if caused by the negligence of the HOT Livestock Show. Exhibitor and each signatory hereto, and any servant, agent, family member or employee of the Exhibitor hereby waives all right to sue the HOT Livestock Show, even as a result of the Stock Show's negligence.

HOMELAND SECURITY SYSTEM WARNING STATEMENT:

Evacuation of Livestock/Equine:

During such times as deemed necessary by local, state or federal authorities, the HOT Livestock Show, and/or its officials may temporarily or permanently evacuate the Extraco Events Center (EEC) under the authority of the Homeland Security Act. Incidents such as, but not limited to, bomb threats, acts of war, declarations of war, code red of the Homeland Security System, etc. will be acted upon in accordance and cooperation with local, state and federal authorities. Priority evacuation will be given to human life, then livestock and/or equine. In such cases, exhibitors and/or contestants will turn over the care of their livestock or equine to the HOT Livestock Show. Proper animal husbandry practices will be followed within reasonable expectations. At which time the evacuation notice is lifted, exhibitors/contestants will be allowed to reenter EEC and claim their livestock or equine.

By making entry into the Show, you authorize the HOT Livestock Show and its officials to detail your livestock/equine on these premises. Furthermore, you agree to hold harmless and without liability the HOT Livestock Show, its officials, show management and staff for those animals under the reasonable care of the show.

RULES: All rules and regulations apply to all shows. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to know and understand each and all of the rules applicable to them and their exhibits.

- 1. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the final and absolute right to interpret these General Rules & Regulations, Judges Rules, and/or any applicable special requirements as published in this Exhibitor Catalog (collectively, the "Rules") and to reasonably settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incident to the Fair, and the right to amend or add to these rules as its judgment may determine. An exhibit that violates any of the following rules may forfeit all privileges, fees paid and premiums and be subject to such penalty as the HOT Livestock Show may order.**

The failure of the HOT Livestock Show to enforce any of the provisions, rules, rights or remedies of this exhibitor catalog or to exercise any options or sanctions herein provided will in no way be construed to be a waiver of such provisions, rules, rights, remedies, sanctions or options.

If there is a conflict between the special rules or requirements of any department or division and the general rules & regulations, the special rules or requirements shall apply.

- 2. Invitational Show: The HOT Livestock Show is an invitational livestock show, which reserves the right to extend, withhold, or revoke an invitation to any exhibitor or contestant.**
- 3. Interpretation and Violation of Rules: The HOT Livestock Show reserves, to its Executive Committee, the final and absolute right to interpret these general rules and arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard hereto, or otherwise arising out of the right to amend or add to these rules as its judgment may determine. *The HOT Livestock Show also reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the show officials.* An exhibitor who violates any of the rules will forfeit all privileges and premiums and be subject to such penalty as the Executive Committee may order.**
- 4. ATTENTION: USE OF DRUGS:**
The use by non-veterinarians of animal drugs or other substances in any manner other than in accord with the labeling approved by FDA is a violation of federal law. Exhibitor's and their parents and/or guardians agree that: (1) they are absolutely and completely responsible persons for the care and custody of their animals, (2) the HOT Livestock Show shall be entitled to disqualify an exhibitor whose animal tests positive for any drug, even if the

exhibitor and the exhibitor's parents and/or guardians are innocent of any wrongdoing and did not administer the drug, (3) the drug test results of the testing laboratories are final and binding upon the exhibitor and the exhibitor's parents and/or guardians. Even if the source of the drug is unknown, the HOT Livestock Show shall be entitled to disqualify the exhibitor.

5. Drug Testing Policy:

All entries are subject to random testing. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to test any animal officially entered in the livestock show for foreign substances including drugs, chemicals or feed additives. Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Junior Market winners and the Supreme and Reserve Supreme Champion Breeding Heifer will be tested at the conclusion of the champion drive. Randomly selected animals will be tested after the completion of their respective class. The HOT Livestock Show maintains a **Zero Tolerance Policy** for unethically fitted livestock. This includes but is not limited to the use of off label drugs and non-antibiotic therapeutic medications.

A. Approved Drug Use:

If an animal has been administered a drug that is Food & Drug Administration (FDA) approved for its species and class, sufficient time must have passed so that the animal does not test positive for that drug upon arrival at the EEC. Animals must remain free and clear of all drug and chemical residues while on show grounds. Please note that elimination time (the time it takes for no drug residue to be found in the system) is generally longer than the labeled withdrawal time for most approved drugs. The show will not tolerate the presence of zilpaterol hydrochloride (Zilmax™) or ractopamine hydrochloride (Paylean™ Optaflexx™) in species for which they are not FDA approved.

B. Unapproved Drug Use:

The showing of any animal that has been administered during its life any quantity of any unapproved drug, chemical or medication is strictly prohibited. Such drugs include, but are not limited to, any diuretic, unapproved growth stimulant or other unapproved medication. Unapproved means not approved by the (FDA) and/or the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) for slaughter animals including animals that may be destined for human consumption.

Classes of Drugs:

Antibacterial Therapeutic Medications

Used to treat infection, these compounds don't create competitive advantage, but can create food safety concerns if not used according to label directions. Many are only FDA approved for particular species, meaning that extensive research has been conducted regarding the proper dosage and type of administration to be efficacious in that species as well as the withdrawal time that is necessary for meat products to be safe for human consumption.

Non-Antibiotic Therapeutic Medications:

Inclusive of anti-inflammatories, antipyretics, diuretics and anesthetics, these medications can result in competitive advantage by altering the physical appearance of the animal and/or concerns with food safety. Some are available over the counter and others can only be legally sourced and administered through prescription by a licensed veterinarian. Many are only FDA approved for a particular species and may only be used in another species with a prescription from a licensed veterinarian.

Beta-agonists:

Originally developed as bronchodilators in humans, larger dosages have a growth promoting effect in animals and result in increased muscle and decreased fat. The only beta-agonist that is currently FDA approved and available for use in livestock production is ractopamine, which is approved for use in market cattle, market swine and market turkeys with a zero-day withdrawal (i.e. research indicates that meat products are safe for consumption at any time during the feeding period). Use of ractopamine in any other species or class within species, or any beta-agonist lacking animal approval in any species, creates concerns with both food safety and competitive advantage.

C. Inspection/Testing:

Each exhibitor, by entering or exhibiting an animal at the HOT Livestock Show, agrees that any animal entered by him or her may be subjected to inspection or examination by any veterinarian appointed by HOT Livestock Show and that HOT Livestock Show may subject any such animal to any tests, sample-takings, or inspections that HOTFR deems necessary or appropriate, including but not limited to testing

for drugs or other substances, at any time. The HOT Livestock Show shall have the right to conduct or have conducted for it all tests, inspections, or analyses it deems appropriate or necessary, including but not limited to ultrasound, D.N.A., blood, tissue and urine laboratory analysis, on any animal entered in or exhibited at the HOT Livestock Show. The exhibitor and the exhibitor's parent, legal guardian, AST or CEA must be present during the collection of an initial urine sample for testing and must witness, seal and sign the sample, thereby establishing that the sample was properly collected and prepared for analysis. Subsequent samples of any sort may be taken by or for HOT Livestock Show without the presence of the exhibitor or his or her parent, legal guardian or AST or CEA.

All decisions, determinations and conclusions based on any test, inspection, analysis, or examination shall be final and conclusive without recourse against HOT Livestock Show or any of its Show Management, directors, volunteers and employees, or any veterinarian appointed by HOT Livestock Show.

EACH EXHIBITOR, BY ENTERING AND EXHIBITING AN ANIMAL OR PROJECT IN OR AT THE HOTFR, WAIVES AND RELEASES HOT LIVESTOCK SHOW FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, SUITS, CAUSES OF ACTION, LIABILITIES, DAMAGES, DEMANDS, COSTS, EXPENSES (INCLUDING ATTORNEYS' FEES) AND OTHER LOSSES OF EVERY SORT BASED ON, ARISING OUT OF, OR RELATING TO THE INSPECTION OR TESTING OF ANY SUCH ANIMAL AND ANY RULING, DECISION, OR ACTION TAKEN AS A RESULT OF OR IN RELIANCE ON THE RESULTS OF ANY TEST OR INSPECTION, WHETHER OR NOT SUCH TESTING OR INSPECTION WAS CONDUCTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THESE RULES. THE FOREGOING WAIVER AND RELEASE APPLIES TO ANY CAUSES OF ACTION, CLAIMS AND DEMANDS BASED ON HOTFR'S ACTUAL OR ALLEGED NEGLIGENCE.

6. **Eligibility of Exhibitors:** To be eligible in the Junior Livestock Show, exhibitors must be Texas residents and a member of a Texas 4-H Club or FFA Chapter. Exhibitors must have continuously owned and personally fed and cared for their animal under the direct supervision of a County Extension Agent or Ag Science Teacher. Exhibitors must meet a 4-H age which is 8 years old and in 3rd grade or 9 years old before August 31, 2020, and not older than 18, and must be enrolled and attending a public, private or home school. All animals entered for competition in market classes - goats, steers, hogs and lamb divisions – must have been owned by the exhibitor not less than the period specified for each division. Registry certificates of ownership or transfer for all registered breeding animals must be produced, showing the exhibitor to be the owner. The transfer will indicate period of ownership. *Exhibitors must furnish, if asked, animals for the judging contest.*
7. **Scholastic Eligibility:** All 4-H and FFA members are considered eligible by the HOT Livestock Show for participation in the Junior Livestock Show at the time of entry applications are received from the CEA or AST. If an exhibitor is ineligible, then the entry is ineligible. The HOT Livestock Show has a NO PASS, NO PLAY rule. Exhibitors must meet scholastic and academic requirements, and it is the responsibility of all AST's and CEA's to ensure the eligibility of each exhibitor.
8. **Quality Counts:** To be eligible to compete in the Junior Shows, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Junior Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.
9. **Substitute Exhibitors:** All entries in both the Junior Show and Jackpot Show must be exhibited by the owner. Exception: substitute exhibitor will be allowed to show in place of the owner under the following circumstance(s) only:
 - a. **When an exhibitor has more than one entry in one class. Exhibitor must notify the show superintendent before animal enters show arena.**
 - b. **Visible physical medical condition (cast, etc.). Superintendent must approve and owner must be present throughout show(s).**

c. No other substitutes will be allowed.

The substitute must be an eligible junior exhibitor from owner's 4-H or FFA Chapter; if none is available, a substitute will be chosen by show management. Parents, teacher, extension agents or other adults or individuals will not be allowed to show. *Substitutions are not allowed for academic ineligibility or any other school activity.*

- 10. Disqualification:** In the event an exhibitor engages in any conduct which results in disqualification, the HOT Livestock Show may, in its sole discretion, prohibit future participation by the exhibitor in any event which is sponsored.

No exhibitor shall be eligible to compete, or having competed, be eligible to win a premium, if he/she has been disqualified from competition in a show belonging to the North American Livestock Show & Rodeo Manager's Association, or has had a premium withheld or withdrawn on the grounds of rule violation involving misrepresentation, fraud of deception, practice or attempted. Any non-approved equipment becomes the property of the HOT Livestock Show. The following steps will be taken if any rule is broken:

1st offense – Animal will be disqualified.

2nd offense – Penalties will be decided by Management based on rule violation.

- 11. Application for Entry:** *All entries in the Junior Livestock Show must be made by the CEA or AST under whose supervision the animals were fed and cared for. It is the responsibility of the CEA or AST to read all rules and check each on line entry form carefully before signing it. If forms are not correctly submitted, they will be returned. Entries must be submitted online by the CEA or AST at www.fairmanager.com. **A \$20 Processing Fee will be charged per FFA Chapter or County 4-H.** Once online entries are completed and submitted, it is important to print a summary sheet. CEAs and ASTs must submit an Exhibitor Summary Form or Individual Entry Receipt with original signatures from the exhibitor, the exhibitor's parent and/or guardian and the CEA or AST overseeing the project. The Exhibitor Summary Form can be found on our website at hotfair.com. The Individual Entry Receipt may be printed upon completing the online process along with the CEA/AST Group Summary Sheet at www.fairmanager.com. A Show Release Form for each exhibitor must also be included with entry packet to the fair office which can also be found on our website at hotfair.com or at www.fairmanager.com.*

All entries submitted must have original signatures. Photocopied or faxed signatures will NOT be accepted. Copying the entries before submitting them for personal records will be allowed.

All entries must be made together and paid by one check payable to the HOTFR and sent in by the CEA or AST with the entry forms. Entries submitted by individual club or chapter members will not be accepted. Payment must be in the form of a school check, 4-H club check or money order. Personal checks will not be accepted for any entries. Please send to: **Extraco Events Center, Livestock Office, 4601 Bosque Blvd., Waco, Texas 76710.**

- 12. Kiosks:** To check in for each show Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card(s) provided by the HOT Livestock Show. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at Self Check-In must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turn into show personnel (SEE EACH INDIVIDUAL SHOW FOR COMPLETE TIMES).

After completing the Self Check-In, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its

entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).

13. **Refunds:** There will be no refund of fees or passes. No exceptions.
14. **Passes:**
 - A. **Junior Show Exhibitors:** Each Junior Show exhibitor will receive three (3) wristbands, good for gate admission for the HOTFR. All passes will be mailed to the CEA/AST that submits entries several weeks before the show begins. **No additional passes will be sold.**
 - B. **CEA's and AST's:** CEA's and AST's who are supervising projects will be issued one (1) free wristband, good for gate admission for the entirety of the HOTFR. **No additional passes will be sold.**
 - C. **Extra Passes:** **Will not be sold at the gate.**
15. **Pets:** No DOGS allowed on the grounds and this will be monitored by security. Only service dogs aiding sight impaired or physically challenged persons will be allowed on grounds.
16. **Generators/Fuels:** Generators and flammable fuels are prohibited on show grounds.
17. **Signs:** In show barns, livestock exhibitors are permitted to display a sign over each exhibit advertising their own herds. All other forms of signs or advertising must be approved by the Show Management, and it reserves the right to have objectionable signs removed. **NO SIGN WHICH REFLECTS IN ANY WAY TO ANY COMMERCIAL PRODUCT MAY BE PLACED OVER ANY LIVESTOCK EXHIBIT.**
18. **Cooking:** Cooking is NOT allowed on the grounds at any time. No cookers, crock-pots, microwaves, coffee pots, warmers or any other cooking utensils are permitted in the barn or on the grounds. Any cooking utensils, including coffee pots, brought on to the grounds will become the property of the HOTFR.
19. **Showmanship Ages (for all species):**
 - Juniors: 3rd-5th grade
 - Intermediate: 6th-8th grade
 - Seniors: 9th-12th grade
20. **Showmanship:** ALL EXHIBITORS MUST SHOW THEIR OWN ANIMALS IN THE SHOWMANSHIP SHOWS.
21. **Special Rules:** Special rules or conditions are published in each department when necessary. If there is a conflict between the special rules of any department and the general rules, the special rules will govern.
22. **DRUGS/ALCOHOL:** USE OR POSSESSION OF DRUGS OR ALCHOLIC BEVERAGES BY ANY EXHIBITOR ON THE FAIR GROUNDS WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE EXPULSION FROM THE GROUNDS AND THE DISQUALIFICATION OF THAT EXHIBITOR'S ENTRY/ENTRIES.
23. **Rule Infraction Data Base:** Each exhibitor understands and agrees that the HOT Livestock Show is entitled to report any and all rule infractions to the North American Livestock Show and Rodeo Manager's Association (NALSARMA) Rule Infraction Database (RID). The exhibitor agrees that this information will be available to the membership of NALSARMA.
24. **Verification:** The exhibitor specifically represents that no animal entered by him/her is unethically fitted and that the breeding, age, and milking status is correctly stated. All Junior Breeding and Market and Jackpot Breeding and

Market Animals will be required to have signatures on each entry form stating that the animal was not unethically fitted. The forms must be signed by all of the following:

- a. Junior Exhibitor
- b. Parent or Guardian
- c. CEA or AST

25. **Objectionable Exhibits:** Show Management reserves the right to remove from the grounds any exhibit, animal or entry that may be falsely entered, deemed unsuitable or objectionable, without assigning a reason therefore. All fees will be forfeited.
26. **Unauthorized Projects:** Any project(s) that is brought onto the grounds which is/are not entered for competition or exhibition are not allowed.
27. **Show Ring Competition:**
- A. **Entry Numbers:** Each entry will be assigned a back number. In some divisions, exhibitors will receive corresponding cards with numbers which must be displayed by exhibitors during judging.
 - B. **Arena Promptness:** Judging will not be delayed for animals entering the arena late. An exhibit not presented promptly at the scheduled time is barred from competition in the class.
 - C. **Judging Contests:** If and when an exhibitor is called upon to furnish one or more animals for the Junior judging contests, he or she will cooperate with Show Management. Refusing to allow an animal to be used in this manner, without Show Management approval, will result in the forfeit of any prizes or such other action as Show Management deems necessary. Selection of the animals will be made under the direction of the department Superintendent and Show Management.
 - D. **Disqualification:** If an animal is disqualified after having won awards or premiums, the animals placing below may be moved up to fill the vacated position if the judge deems appropriate.
28. **Exhibitor Safety:** If exhibition of an animal poses a danger to the exhibitor and/or other parties, Show Management reserves the right to allow a substitute exhibitor or remove the animal from competition.
29. **Project/Animal Care/Security:** All owners or persons in charge of property, or livestock, shall care for, guard, protect and preserve same, as the HOTFR does not undertake to do so, and it shall not be held responsible for any loss, shrinkage or damage to said property or livestock or the owners or exhibitors thereof. All exhibitors are responsible for security of their own animal/project(s) until they depart for their final destination (processing/ranch). The exhibitor is the absolute insurer of and is responsible for the condition of their animal/project(s). The HOT Livestock Show is not responsible for acts of a third party.
30. **Exhibitor Number:** Each entry will be assigned in the official records of the show. Exhibitors will receive cards, which correspond with the numbers; these must be displayed by exhibitor when animals are being judged.
31. **Electronic Communication:** The use of electronic communication devices (i.e. two-way radios, cell phones) by exhibitors during competition, including judging contests and livestock shows, is prohibited.
32. **Official Protests:** All protests must be made in writing and accompanied by a fee of \$250 cash, which will be refunded if the protest is sustained. Such protests and fees must be submitted to the Show Management. Protests must clearly state the cause of complaint or appeal, giving good and sufficient reasons therefore, and must be delivered to the Livestock Office immediately upon the occasion for such protest. Protests must officially be filed before the conclusion of the species show. These cases are referred to the Vice President of the Fair Department, Livestock Committee Chairman and General Superintendent, who will have full power to act. Judging procedures

will not be interrupted for protest investigation. **No protests will be accepted on judges' decisions, scales or classifiers.**

33. **Photographs:** Exhibitors agree to present their animal(s) at the request of show management for official photographs. All photographs taken by the official photographer(s) become property of the HOT Livestock Show. Unofficial (i.e. personal) photographs may not be published without written approval of Show Management. Exhibitors wishing to purchase photographs must contact the Official Photographer. Commercial photography and filming are often conducted at the HOT Livestock Show. You may appear in resulting pictures or film which may be used in connection with advertising, news reporting, public relations or other activities regarding the HOT Livestock Show. Entering the grounds and competitive events associated with the HOT Livestock Show constitutes your consent for the HOT Livestock Show to use any pictures or films it deems appropriate without payment, inspection or review.
34. **Staging Area: No one is allowed in the staging area except for exhibitor, animal, Livestock Show staff, or Superintendent/Assistant Superintendent of the show in progress.**
35. **HEIFER VALIDATION INFORMATION:** To be eligible, all breeding beef heifers (including potential substitute heifers) **MUST** be validated with the Texas 4-H and FFA Breeding Heifer Validation Program. The deadline for heifer validation is June 30, 2020, but exhibitors need to check with their local CEA or AST for local/county deadlines. Show Management will collect DNA samples on Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers as well as any other heifer designated by Show Management. Show Management will make the final decision regarding any potential disqualification.
36. **ALL STEERS MUST BE STATE VALIDATED:** All tags other than state and county validation must be removed.
37. **PUREBRED GILT VALIDATION:** To be eligible, purebred & gilts must be validated with and adhere to all the rules of the Texas 4-H and FFA Gilt Validation Program administered by the Texas FFA. Exhibitors need to check with their local CEA or AST for local/county validation deadlines. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
38. **Ownership and Feeding Instructions:** The exhibitors must own their animals at the beginning of and throughout the feeding period, and must feed, care for and exhibit animals entered. The feeding and fitting period shall begin no later than June 30, 2019, unless exempted by Special Rules. Exhibitors will not be permitted to purchase fitted animals and then show them in any division.
39. **Ownership/Registration:** Animals entered in the beef heifer show must be owned by the exhibitor AND registered in the records of the respective breed association (in the name of the exhibitor) on or before June 30, 2020. Permanent identification (i.e. brand or tattoo) must be present and must match the registration paper of the animal. Original registration papers must be solely in the name of the exhibitor. Partnerships of any form will not be allowed.
40. **Animal Substitution:** Substitutions will be allowed within the same breed and division as the original entry at the time of check-in. Substitutions will not be allowed once check-in is completed. Any animal substituted must meet any and all requirements for the show it is to be entered. **SUBSTITUTIONS MAY ONLY BE MADE WITHIN THE SAME DEPARTMENT** (otherwise it is considered a separate entry; subject to a late entry fee). There is no fee for substitution.
41. **ID Verification:** The tattoo or brand will be checked on the top two placing heifers at the conclusion of each class and must match the permanent ID that appears on the original registration paper. It is the exhibitor's responsibility

to ensure the brand or tattoo is legible prior to arrival on show grounds. Exhibitors will be disqualified if their heifer does not have a matching tattoo or brand, or if the tattoo or brand is illegible. In the event of a disqualification, the next placing heifer with matching identification will advance.

42. **Animal Substitutions:** Substitutions will only be allowed if the substituted heifer has been validated in the Texas 4-H and FFA Breeding Heifer Validation Program.
43. **Bedding:** Stalls will not be pre-bedded. Exhibitors may purchase shavings on the grounds or bring their own.
44. **Weighing:** Market goats, steers, hogs and lambs will turn in their official show weight. The management reserves the right to weigh-back any animal at any time. Steers must be classified as scheduled.
45. **Animal Health Requirements:** See Animal Health Requirements located on pages 15 & 16 in this catalog. Management is allowed to impose animal health regulations that are more restrictive than those imposed by the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC). Specific TAHC regulations will supersede the Show requirements if there is a dispute between the two in which the show rules are less restrictive than TAHC regulations. See Texas Animal Health Commission Rules for details. Refer to the TAHC website for these details at <http://www.tahc.state.tx.us/>. The show considers itself an interstate (accepting entries of livestock from within Texas and from other states) show for livestock entries. Exhibitors with livestock origination outside the state of Texas are encouraged to contact their state Animal Health Officials to confirm specific requirements, if any; their state may impose on animals returning from a Texas show.
46. **Fans:** Only rear fans are permitted if mounted on display. No on-ground fans or PORT-A-COOLS allowed.
47. **Trim Chutes/Blocking Tables/Head Stalls/Blowers:** NO TRIM CHUTES, BLOCKING TABLES or HEAD STALLS ALLOWED ON GROUNDS. Security will monitor grounds continually.
48. **Stall and Pen Space:** Beef heifers, steers, lambs, goats & swine will stall on arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.
49. **Coloring:** No animal entered in any livestock division of the HOT Livestock Show may show evidence of artificial coloring, oil, paint, powder, glues or adhesives. The only acceptable coloring shall be dressing to be used on hooves only. All livestock will be checked for body coloring.
50. **Unethically Fitted Livestock:** The showing of unethically fitted livestock, the showing of livestock of any ineligible age for exhibition in the class entered, or the misrepresentation of breeding or milking status is prohibited. Unethical fitting will be deemed to consist of changing the normal conformation of any part of the animal's body or using drugs, including over the counter and/or extra-label, or mechanical devices to alter the physical makeup and/or performance of the animal. The HOT Livestock Show maintains a **ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY** for unethically fitted livestock. This includes but is not limited to the following:
 - A. **PUMPING WILL NOT BE TOLERATED!**
 - B. Animals that are in milk due to unnaturally induced lactation.
 - C. Balancing the udder by any means other than leaving naturally produced milk in any or all quarters.
 - D. Treating or massaging any part of the animal's body, internally or externally, with an irritant, counterirritant, or other substance to temporarily improve conformation.
 - E. Minimizing the effects of cramping by feeding or injecting drugs and depressants or applying packs or using any artificial contrivance or therapeutic treatment except normal exercise.
 - F. Blocking the nerves to prevent limping or switching of the tail.

- G. Striking the animal to cause swelling in a depressed area.
- H. Surgery or other practices performed to chance the natural contour or appearance of the animal's body, hide, hair or feet (this is to include any materials added to the feet of an animal) except the removal of warts or horns and the permitted clipping and dressing of hair and trimming hooves.
- I. Insertion of foreign material under the skin.
- J. Changing the color of hair at any point, spot or area on the animal's body. Any grooming material that allows color to come off from any animal will not be allowed at the show.
- K. The act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method per os (by esophagus).
- L. The use of alcoholic or carbonated beverages in the feed or administered as a drench.
- M. The use of diuretics.
- N. Administration of a drug internally or externally. Animals under the care of a licensed veterinarian and/or taking any type of medication are ineligible.

51. **Diseased Animals Barred:** Special care will be taken that no animal having a disease of any character will be admitted onto the grounds at any time. The Show Management is instructed and authorized to refuse unloading privileges to any stock having a disease or undesirable ailment.
52. **Nurse Cows:** Nurse Cows are not permitted.
53. **Eligibility of Animals:** All animals in the breeding classes must be recorded or accepted for record in the recognized books of record for their respective breeds. Exhibitors must produce certificates of registry at the request of the Superintendent in charge any time during the HOT Livestock Show. No photocopies of registration papers are acceptable, except in case of scramble animals. The exhibitor must give, on our application of entry, the breed, date of birth, registration number and name under which animal is registered in the record association; otherwise, entry will not be accepted. This does not apply to animals entered in market classes, i.e. goats, hogs, lambs and steers. Any market animal that has been offered for auction is ineligible to show.
54. **Restraint/Unruly Animals:** The Show Management may remove any unruly animal from the show; there will be no appeal. Cattle must be shown with halter and be sufficiently gentle to be properly handled by one attendant on foot. The use of nose leads is encouraged on all bulls.
55. **Erroneous Entry:** Exhibits that have been erroneously entered may be transferred to their proper class, prior to judging, upon application to the Show Management who will determine the matter upon its merits. If such classes have been judged, however, they shall not be reopened.
56. **Care of Animals:** All owners of property, livestock or others having same in charge, shall care of, guard, protect and preserve same as the HOT Livestock Show does not undertake to do so and it shall not be responsible for any loss or damage to said property or the owners thereof.
57. **Arrival Time:** All animals must be in place according to schedule in each division.
58. **Release of Livestock:** No animal may be removed from the grounds without official written release. All livestock must remain in stalls or pens until their designated release time. There will be no early release of projects unless the Show Management says otherwise. Anyone attempting to load animals before their release time may have his truck and/or trailer towed away. Any violation of release times will cause the forfeiture of all premiums and/or prizes earned and the exhibitor may be barred from future participation.

JUDGES' RULES

- 59. Selection of Judges:** Judges will be selected by the HOT Livestock Show, and in every case, judges are selected with utmost care, with the highest qualifications.
- 60. Decision of Judges:** The decisions of the judges will be final in all cases, except where mistake, fraud, misrepresentation or collusion, not discovered at the time of the award, is proven. In such cases, Show Management or such referee as they may appoint, may make decision, or the case may be referred to the Executive Committee, from whose decision there can be no appeal.
- 61. Interference with Judges:** If any exhibitor, in any way, whether in person or by agent or servants, interferes with the judges during their adjudication, or shows any disrespect to them or the Show, the Show Management may demand a proper apology from such exhibitor, or it may exclude him or her from the ring and may also withhold exhibitor premiums and may bar exhibitor from future participation in the HOT Livestock Show.
- 62. Time of Judging:** The Livestock Judging Program as published in the Livestock Exhibitor Catalog will be followed as closely as possible. Exhibitors should ascertain at what time the exhibits will be judged. Any exhibit not presented promptly on scheduled time will be ruled out and barred from competition in the class called. No complaint or protest on the ground that judges overlooked exhibits will be considered.
- 63. Unworthy Exhibits:** Judges must not award a prize to an unworthy exhibit. It is the intention of HOT Livestock Show that no premium or distinction of any kind shall be given to any animal or article that is not deserving. Judges are also requested to discriminate against animals upon which a surgical operation has been performed to improve their "show" appearance. These rules must be strictly adhered to, whether there is a competition or not.
- 64. International Association of Fairs & Events (IAFE) National Code of Show Ring Ethics:**
Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education. This code applies to junior as well as open class exhibitors who compete in structure classes of competition. This code applies to all livestock offered in any event at a livestock show. In addition to the "IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics," fairs and livestock shows may have rules and regulations which they impose on the local, county, state, provincial and national levels.
All youth leaders working with junior exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers and absolutely responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and auction proceeds and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and livestock shows. Exhibitors who violate this code of ethic demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all livestock shows in the United States and Canada.
The following is a list of guidelines for all exhibitors and all livestock in competitive events:
- a. All exhibitors must present, upon request of the fair and livestock show officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership and age of all animal entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age or any facts relating thereto is prohibited.
 - b. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers or absolutely responsible persons shall provide animal health certificate from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or livestock show officials.
 - c. Junior exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at fairs or livestock shows.

- d. Animals shall be presented to show events where they will enter the food chain free of volatile drug residues. The act of entering an animal in a livestock show is giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer and/or absolutely responsible person for Show Management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood or other substances from the animal to be used in testing. Animals not entered in an event which culminates in the animals entering the food chain shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules. Livestock shall not be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with the federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules affect the animal's performance or appearance at the event.
- If the laboratory report on the analysis of the saliva, urine, blood or other sample taken from the livestock indicates the presence of forbidden drugs or medication, this shall be prima facie evidence such substance has been administered to the animal either internally or externally. It is presumed that the sample of urine, saliva, blood or other substance tested by the laboratory to which it is sent is the one taken from the animal in question, its integrity is preserved and all procedures of said collection and preservation, transfer, transfer to the laboratory and analysis of the sample are correct and accurate of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer or absolutely responsible person to prove otherwise. At any time after an animal arrives on the fair or livestock show premises, all treatments involving the use of drugs and/or medication for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal shall be administered by a licensed vet.
- e. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of a substance (irritant, counterirritant or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation or appearance, except the external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animal which affect appearance only and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
- f. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited.
- g. Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives or show officials before, during or after the competitive event is prohibited. In furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock show management or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.
- h. No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer or absolutely responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics or knowingly contribute to cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics. Violation of this rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action.
- i. The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by an owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of treatment of the animal in contravention of this code of ethics.
- j. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer or absolutely responsible person to have disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show for violation of this Code of Show Ring Ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or livestock show without recourse against the fair or livestock show. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent that any proceedings or disciplinary action taken by the fair or livestock show may be published with the name of the violator or violators in any publication of the IAFE, including Fairs and Expositions and any special notices to members.
- k. The act of entering of an animal in a fair or livestock show is giving of verification by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer or absolutely responsible person that he or she has read the IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences of penalties provided for actions prohibited by the code. It is further a consent that any action which contravenes these rules and is also in violation of federal, state or provincial statutes, regulations, or rules may be released to appropriate law enforcement authorities with jurisdiction over such infractions.

65. 2020 Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo Animal Care Statement:

The HOTFR has developed an Animal Care Committee with representatives from across the state of Texas. The committee is charged with determining proper care is given to all species of livestock while they are at the HOTFR as well as upholding high standards of animal husbandry and ethical practices of exhibiting animals.

2020/2021 CALF SCRAMBLE CONTEST RULES

HEART O' TEXAS CALF SCRAMBLE CHUTE-OUT PRESENTED BY BRAZOS MASONRY

The top three (3) contestants from each scramble performance (a total of 15) will qualify to scramble again on Sunday, October 18th and will automatically receive an upgraded Purchase Certificate of \$1,000. The Top Five (5) who catch during the Chute-Out will earn an additional \$500 for a total Purchase Certificate of \$1,500. This certificate goes towards the purchase of a breeding heifer, lamb, goat, or swine project to exhibit at the 2021 Heart O' Texas Livestock Show!

- 1. Age Eligibility:** Contestants must be 12 years old by August 31, 2020, and cannot be past their junior year in high school. Eligibility will be limited to 4-H and FFA members from the State of Texas. Contact your CEA or AST to fill out an application form. **All application forms may only be submitted by a CEA or AST.**
- 2. Physical Requirements:** Contestants who report to the Scramble Office must be in top physical condition. Contestants appearing with broken limbs, etc., will automatically be disqualified. Contestant's minimum weight is 100 pounds.
- 3. Substitutions:** No substitution will be made in participant list after they are received in the Livestock Director's Office unless approved by Show Management at least 24 hours in advance. Use of alternates will take precedence over substitutions. Show Management is the only person eligible to make substitutions.
- 4. Certificates:** Winners on the various nights will be awarded certificates based on their choice in the animal classes listed below. They must designate their choice on the night they participate.

Breeding Beef Heifers	\$600
Lambs	\$300
Pigs	\$300
Goats	\$300

New for 2020/2021 Scramble Certificates! Winners may use their certificate to purchase a beef heifer, lamb (ewe or wether), goat (doe or wether) or pig (gilt or barrow). See Rule 5 for information on scramble shows. Registration papers are required for heifers only and papers must be transferred to the participant's name. Winners cannot purchase animals from other family members.

- 5. Scramble Shows: New for 2020/2021! All heifers purchased with a scramble certificate must show in the Scramble Heifer Show. There will not be a Scramble Pig, Lamb or Goat Show.** All other scramble animals (lambs, goats and pigs) MUST be entered in the Jr. Show of their specific species. You will be required to check-in at the designated table at your time of arrival.
- 6. Requirements:** Winning participants must agree to raise, groom and train their animal and show the animal in their perspective Scramble Show at the 2021 HOT Livestock Show. Participants are required to show in the Junior and/or Jackpot Show also. Entry for the Scramble Heifer Show will be automatic. At the time of participation, the contestants will be required to sign an agreement to participate according to these rules and other guidelines established by the Calf Scramble Committee, such as date of purchase, report dates, etc.
- 7. Monthly Progress Reports:** Winning participants are required to provide a monthly progress report on their animal to their CEA or AST and the Heart O' Texas Scramble Office. **Winners are required to send a handwritten Thank You letter once you receive your sponsor's name. Also required will be handwritten monthly letter through the end of the 2021 HOT Livestock Show. NO EXPENSE REPORTS WILL BE SENT TO SPONSORS.**
- 8. Abandonment of the Project:** Cases of abandonment of the project by reason of death of an animal, relocating by the participant, etc. shall be reported to the Calf Scramble Office, which shall have final disposition authority.
- 9. 2021 Entries: All scramble heifers are entered in the 2021 Scramble Heifer Show automatically. Scrambler must enter the Junior and/or Jackpot Show through their CEA/AST.**

Purchase Dates: Participants can use an animal which concurrently is participating with other Livestock Show Scramble programs provided an agreement can be reached to provide the HOT Livestock Show with a duplicate Registration Certificate. Purchase dates for Scramble Heifers shall be no later than May 15, 2021. Lambs, goats and pigs must be purchased by September 1, 2021.

Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo **Additional Calf Scramble Scholarship Opportunities**

The HOTFR will offer scholarships to the 2020/2021 Calf Scramble participants in the following categories: Essay Contest, Multimedia, and Sponsor/Monthly Report Correspondence. Three scholarships will be awarded in each category in the amount of \$750 (1st Place), \$500 (2nd Place) and \$250 (3rd Place). You will be given additional information pertaining to these scholarships after you have caught a calf during the 2020 Calf Scramble.

ESSAY CONTEST

Exhibitor will submit a 1,000-word essay explaining their Calf Scramble project and their experiences since purchasing their project. The essay should include things learned during the project, things that were difficult and how this experience will make the exhibitor a better person. Essays are due in the fair offices by September 25, 2020.

MULTIMEDIA

Multi Media will be based on submission on the Heart O' Texas Fair Calf Scramble Facebook page. It will be judged on quality and quantity of Facebook posts and their relevance to the Calf Scramble program. In addition, you must post a video to the Calf Scramble Facebook page.

The video must be a digital storybook depicting your project from date of scramble last October 2019 to deadline date, 5 p.m., September 25, 2020. Your video will be scored based on the following criteria:

Quality – 25%

Creativity – 25%

Originality – 25%

Relevance to Calf Scramble Program – 25%

SPONSOR/MONTHLY REPORTS

This category will be judged on sponsor letters and monthly reports received in the Calf Scramble office which was forwarded to your sponsor. All sponsors will be contacted by the Calf Scramble Committee for feedback on your correspondence with them. Your sponsor letters will be scored based on quality, originality and creativity.

SCRAMBLE SHOWS

All Scramble Breeding Beef Heifers

Superintendents: Cooper Terrell & Floyd Ingram

Judge:

Thursday, October 1st

In place & check in: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Show: 4 p.m.

Scramble Breeding Ewes

Superintendent: George Gibbs, Brit Owen & Robert Ferguson

Judge: Joe Hobbs

Saturday, October 10th

In place & check-in: 3-6 p.m.

Sunday, October 11th

Show: 8 a.m.

Scramble Breeding Gilts

Superintendent: Mike Alton

Judge: Justin Rogers

Friday, October 16th

In place & check-in: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Saturday, October 17th

Show: 8 a.m.

Grand Champion - \$500 Scholarship
Reserve Grand Champion - \$250 Scholarship

HEART O' TEXAS

LIVESTOCK SHOW

presented by 

HOTFR JUNIOR BEEF HEIFER SHOW
Superintendent (*American Beef Heifers*) Cooper Terrill
Superintendent (*British & Continental Beef Heifers*) Floyd Ingram
British/Continental Judge: Shellie Collins
American Judge: Dean Fuchs

Junior American, British & Continental Breeding Beef Heifer Shows

Wednesday, September 30, 2020

Begin Arrival: 12 Noon-10 p.m.

Thursday, October 1, 2020

All Heifers continue arrival: 7-11 a.m.

Kiosk check-in for all Heifers: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

HOTFR Scramble Heifer Show (All breeds): 4 p.m.

Friday, October 2, 2020

Jr. American Heifer Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Jr. British/Continental Heifer Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Coliseum

The United Showmanship Show immediately following

Saturday, October 3, 2020

Release: 8 a.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT.
3. To check in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information, such as breed, date of birth, etc. All information must be entered into the kiosk and turned into show management by (see above). After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
4. **HEIFER VALIDATION INFORMATION:** To be eligible, all breeding beef heifers (including potential substitute heifers) MUST be validated with the Texas 4-H and FFA Breeding Heifer Validation Program. The deadline for heifer validation is June 30, 2020, but exhibitors need to check with their local County Extension Agent or Agriculture Science Teacher for local/county deadlines. Show officials will collect DNA samples on Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers as well as any other heifer designated by Show Management. Show Management will make the final decision regarding any potential disqualification.
5. Animals entered in beef heifer show must be owned by the exhibitor AND registered in the records of the respective breed association (in the name of the exhibitor) on or before June 30, 2020. Permanent identification (i.e. brand or tattoo) must be present and must match the registration paper of the animal. Original registration papers must be solely in the name of the exhibitor. Partnerships of any form will not be allowed.
6. The tattoo/brand/registration papers will be checked on the top two (2) placing heifers at the conclusion of each class and must match the permanent ID that appears on the original registration paper. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure the brand or tattoo is legible prior to arrival on show grounds. Exhibitors will be disqualified if their heifer does not have a matching tattoo or brand, or if the tattoo or brand is illegible. In the event of a disqualification, the next placing heifer with matching identification will advance. **THE SHOW WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR BRANDING HEIFERS OR ANY HEIFERS THAT NEED TO BE TATTOOED OR BE RETATTOOED!**

7. Substitutions will only be allowed if the substitute heifer has been validated in the Texas 4H and FFA Heifer Validation Program.
8. Junior exhibiting animals sponsored by organizations which are holding the registration papers must obtain a photo static copy of the registration papers, or the papers themselves, and present them to the Superintendent for approval. In the case of photo copies, both sides of the registration paper must be photographed and presented to the Superintendent. If the rules of the sponsoring organization prevent the transfer of registration papers to the exhibitor until certain obligations are met, a notarized certificate must (1) state this fact and (2) give the date the animal was awarded to the exhibitor. In every case the date of ownership or awarding must be on or before June 30, 2020.
9. **The following are the breeds that will be shown IF eight (8) head are present. If less than eight (8) head, breed will show in ORAB or ORB:**

Angus	Beefmaster	Brangus	Charolais
Chianina	Grey Brahman	Hereford	Limousin
Maine Anjou	ORAB	ORB	Polled Hereford
Red Brahman	Red Angus	Red Brangus	Santa Gertrudis
Shorthorn	Simbrah	Simmental	

10. Each breed will have a Grand Champion and a Reserve Grand Champion. The judge will then select a Supreme Champion and Reserve Supreme Champion from the breed champions and reserves.
11. No trim chutes allowed on grounds. Clippers allowed. This is a BLOW AND GO SHOW. All heifers will be shown with hair in a natural state WITHOUT the use of foams, glues, oils, adhesives, paints, etc. Heifers with any type of foam, glue, paint, oil, adhesive, etc., in the hair will be disqualified and premiums forfeited. Heifers will be towed. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
12. No generators allowed on grounds.
13. No cattle tie-outs.
14. No on-ground fans. Only rear or side mounted fans permitted if mounted on display.
15. All exhibitors must wear number assigned to each animal.
16. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion.
17. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
18. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
19. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.



Class Breaks

****Heifer classes will be divided by age. Classes of less than five (5) head may be combined.****

The following are the Class Breaks for the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show for all breeds:

Class 1	3/1/20 and after
Class 2	1/1/20 to 2/29/20
Class 3	11/1/19 to 12/31/19
Class 4	9/1/19 to 10/31/19
Class 5	5/1/19 to 8/31/19
Class 6	3/1/19 to 4/30/19
Class 7	1/1/19 to 2/28/19
Class 8	9/1/18 to 12/31/18

Class Premiums

Premium paid by the HOT Livestock Show will be paid based on the number of head showing in each class by the following sliding scale.

Place	5 head or less	6-9 head	10-12 head	13 or more head
1 st	\$30	\$45	\$55	\$55
2 nd	\$20	\$35	\$45	\$45
3 rd		\$25	\$35	\$35
4 th			\$25	\$25
5 th				\$20
6 th				\$15

Awards and Scholarships

Supreme Champion (American, British and Continental Divisions)

\$2,000 Continuing Education Scholarship provided by *Brazos Masonry, Inc.*

Reserve Supreme Champion (American, British and Continental Divisions)

\$1,000 Continuing Education Scholarship provided by *Brazos Masonry, Inc.*

Breed Champions

\$750 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Breed Champions

\$500 Continuing Education Scholarship

HOTFR JUNIOR MARKET STEER SHOW

Superintendent: Anthony Meurer

Asst. Superintendent: Don Jones

Judge: Amanda Schnoor

Sunday, October 4, 2020

Begin arrival: 1-8 p.m.

Monday, October 5, 2020

All Steers continue arrival: 7-11 a.m.

Kiosks check-in for all Steers: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Tuesday, October 6, 2020

Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

The United Showmanship Show immediately following

Wednesday, October 7, 2020

Release: 9 a.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT. See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
3. **We will be following the 2018-2021 Texas Show Steer Breed Classification Guidelines. For complete details, please visit <http://animalscience.tamu.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/14/2012/04/2015-Texas-Show-Steer-Classification-011416.pdf>.**
4. No weight limit. Classes will be divided by weight according to the Superintendent.
5. **Kiosks:** Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own steers. To check in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turn into show management 9 a.m.-2 p.m. on Monday, October 5, 2020. After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
6. The top two (2) places in each class will be re-weighed. Any steer weighing more than 5% above its turned-in weight will be disqualified. Third place will be reweighed if necessary.
7. Steers will be showing in breed format. Eight (8) head constitutes a breed. Steers not making the eight (8) head minimum or being classed out of their respective breeds will be put into a crossbreed or ABC. For additional information, please visit hotfair.com for the Texas Show Steer Breed Classification Guidelines. Breeds are as follows: Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Red Angus, Shorthorn, Brahman, ABC, Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Charolais, Limousin, Maine-Anjou, Simmental, Black Cross, Red Cross & Other Cross.
8. Each breed will have a Breed Champion and a Reserve Breed Champion. The judge will then select a Grand Champion and a Reserve Grand Champion from the breed champions and reserves.
9. **ALL STEERS MUST BE STATE VALIDATED.**
10. All tags other than state and county validation must be removed.
11. The HOT Livestock Show will appoint classifiers to inspect steers. All steers will be classified by three (3) person committee. Decisions of the classifiers will be final and protests will not be considered. Interference with classifiers will not be tolerated.
12. No trim chutes allowed on grounds. Clippers allowed.

13. This is a BLOW AND GO SHOW. All steers will be shown with hair in a natural state WITHOUT the use of foams, glues, oils, adhesives, paints, etc. Steers with any type of foam, glue, paint, oils, adhesive, etc., in the hair will be disqualified and premiums forfeited. Steers will be toweled.
14. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
15. No generators allowed on grounds. No on-ground fans. Only rear or side mounted fans permitted if mounted on display.
16. No cattle tie-outs.
17. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
18. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion.
19. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
20. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
21. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Market Steer Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Class Premiums

Premiums paid by the HOT Livestock Show will be paid based upon the number of head showing in each class by the following sliding scale:

Place	5 head or less	6-9 head	10-12 head	13 or more head
1 st	\$30	\$45	\$55	\$55
2 nd	\$20	\$35	\$45	\$45
3 rd		\$25	\$35	\$35
4 th			\$25	\$25
5 th				\$20
6 th				\$15

Awards and Scholarships

Grand Champion

\$2,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Grand Champion

\$1,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

Breed Champions

\$500 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Breed Champions

\$250 Continuing Education Scholarship

HOTFR JUNIOR LAMB SHOW

Superintendent: Britt Owen

Assistant Superintendent: Robert Ferguson

Judge: Joe Hobbs

Saturday, October 10th

All Sheep move-in: 1-5 p.m.

Kiosk check-in for all Lambs: 3-6 p.m.

Sunday, October 11th

Scramble Lamb Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Jr. Lamb Show: 9 a.m.

Monday, October 12th

Release: 9 a.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. **JUNIOR MARKET LAMBS DO NOT NEED TO BE VALIDATED.**
3. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT. See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
4. **Animals will be stalled upon arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.**
5. Exhibitors will receive weight cards and back numbers from Superintendents upon arrival.
6. Scales will be provided by the HOT Livestock Show.
7. Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own lambs. To check-in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turned into Show Management 3-6 p.m. on Saturday, October 10, 2020. After completing the self-check-in, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show management, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
8. Exhibitors must indicate the breed of each entry. **Lambs will be classified as they enter the staging area. Lambs that are classified out will be moved to the respective breed. FW to FWX & FWX, SD, Dorper to MW. We will utilize the 2020 Lamb Classification Guidelines. The guidelines are posted on the Heart O' Texas Livestock website at https://d38trduahtodj3.cloudfront.net/files.ashx?t=fg&rid=HOTFair&f=Lamb_Breed_Classification_Guidelines_4.1.2020.**
9. The top five (5) places from each class will be re-weighed. Any lamb weighing more than five (5) pounds above it's turned-in weight will be disqualified. No weight limit.
10. Lambs will be shown in a five-breed format: Finewool, Finewool Cross, Southdown, Dorper & Medium Wool (breeds are listed in show order). Eight (8) head constitutes a breed (with the exception of Dorper). If Finewool or Finewool Cross has less than eight (8) head entered in each breed, the breeds will be combined. If Southdown has less than eight (8) head in the breed, the breed will be combined with Medium Wool.
11. Each breed will have a Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion. The judge will then select an Overall Grand Champion and a Reserve Grand Champion from the breed and reserve breed champions.
12. Wethers and ewes may be shown.
13. All lambs must have been owned by the exhibitor no later than September 1, 2020, and must have been fed and fitted from September 1, 2020 through the opening day of the show.

14. No shearing on grounds. Lambs must be shorn slick with a uniform length of fleece before arrival of the show. Boots may be left on all lambs. NO UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
15. No blocking/trim tables/head extensions allowed on grounds. ANY LAMB CAUGHT ON A BLOCKING/TRIM TABLE/HEAD EXTENSION WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED.
16. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
17. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
18. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
19. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Market Lamb Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Class Premiums

Premiums paid by the HOT Livestock Show will be paid based upon the number of head showing in each class by the following sliding scale:

Place	5 head or less	6-10 head	11-20 head	20 plus head
1 st	\$20	\$30	\$40	\$50
2 nd	\$15	\$25	\$35	\$40
3 rd		\$20	\$30	\$35
4 th			\$25	\$30
5 th			\$20	\$25
6 th				\$20

Awards and Scholarships

Grand Champion

\$2,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Grand Champion

\$1,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

Breed Champions

\$500 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Breed Champions

\$250 Continuing Education Scholarship

HOTFR JACKPOT LAMB SHOW

Superintendent: George & Kevin Gibbs

Judge: Wayne Morse

Saturday, October 10th

All Sheep move-in: 1-5 p.m.

Kiosk check-in for all Lambs: 3-6 p.m.

Monday, October 12th

Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Release: 9 a.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. **JACKPOT MARKET LAMBS DO NOT NEED TO BE VALIDATED.**
3. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT. See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
4. **Animals will be stalled upon arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.**
5. Exhibitors will receive weight cards and back numbers from Superintendents upon arrival.
6. Scales will be provided by the HOT Livestock Show.
7. Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own lambs. To check-in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turned into Show Management 3-6 p.m. on Saturday, October 10, 2020. After completing the self-check-in, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show management, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
8. Exhibitors must indicate the breed of each entry. **Lambs will be classified as they enter the staging area. Lambs that are classified out will be moved to the respective breed. FW to FWX & FWX, SD, Dorper to MW. We will utilize the 2020 Lamb Classification Guidelines. The guidelines are posted at**
9. The top five (5) places from each class will be re-weighed. Any lamb weighing more than five (5) pounds above it's turned-in weight will be disqualified. No weight limit.
10. Lambs will be shown in a five-breed format: Finewool, Finewool Cross, Southdown, Dorper & Medium Wool (breeds are listed in show order). Eight (8) head constitutes a breed (with the exception of Dorper). If Finewool or Finewool Cross has less than eight (8) head entered in each breed, the breeds will be combined. If Southdown has less than eight (8) head in the breed, the breed will be combined with Medium Wool.
11. Each breed will have a Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion. The judge will then select an Overall Grand Champion and a Reserve Grand Champion from the breed and reserve breed champions.
12. Wethers and ewes may be shown.
13. All lambs must have been owned by the exhibitor no later than September 1, 2020, and must have been fed and fitted from September 1, 2020 through the opening day of the show.
14. No shearing on grounds. Lambs must be shorn slick with a uniform length of fleece before arrival of the show. Boots may be left on all lambs. **NO UNETHICAL FITTING.** See General Rules for more information.
15. No blocking/trim tables/head extensions allowed on grounds. **ANY LAMB CAUGHT ON A BLOCKING/TRIM TABLE/HEAD EXTENSION WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED.**
16. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.

17. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
18. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
19. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Market Lamb Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrillife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Champion Premiums

\$3 of each entry from the particular division
 Breed Champion, \$2
 Reserve Breed Champion, \$1

Class Premiums

\$9 of each entry within that class. All class winners will receive their entry fee back in prize money.

Place	With 15 head or less	More than 16 head
1 st	40%	34%
2 nd	30%	24%
3 rd	20%	15%
4 th	10%	12%
5 th		10%
6 th		5%

Awards

Grand Champion - \$150
Reserve Grand Champion - \$100



HOTFR JUNIOR MARKET GOAT SHOW

Superintendent: Sheryl Long

Judge: Derrick Brown

Tuesday, October 13th

Begin arrival: 1-5 p.m.

Kiosk check-in for all Goats: 3-6 p.m.

Wednesday, October 14th

Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Release: 1 p.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. **JUNIOR MARKET GOATS DO NOT NEED TO BE VALIDATED.**
3. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT. See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
4. **Animals will be stalled upon arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.**
5. Exhibitors will receive weight cards from the Superintendents upon arrival.
6. Scales will be provided by the HOT Livestock Show.
7. Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own goats. To check in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turned into show management by 3-6 p.m., Tuesday, October 13, 2020. After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
8. The top five (5) places from each class will be re-weighed. Any goat with weight more than five (5) pounds above its turned-in weight will be disqualified. Classes will be divided by weight according to the Superintendent. No weight limit.
9. Classes will be divided into divisions. Each division will have a Champion and a Reserve Champion. The Judge will then select a Grand and Reserve Grand from the division champions and reserves.
10. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
11. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion.
12. No shearing or clipping allowed on grounds. Goats must be shorn slick before they arrive. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
13. No blocking/trim tables/head stalls allowed on grounds. ANY GOAT CAUGHT ON A BLOCKING/TRIM TABLE/HEAD EXTENSION WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED.
14. Goats with horns must be tipped. Removal of horns on the grounds will be disqualified.
15. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
16. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Market Goat Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Class Premiums

Premiums paid by the HOT Livestock Show will be paid based upon the number of head showing in each class by the following sliding scale:

Place	10 head or less	11-15 head	16-20 head	20 plus head
1 st	\$30	\$40	\$45	\$50
2 nd	\$25	\$35	\$40	\$40
3 rd	\$20	\$30	\$35	\$35
4 th		\$25	\$30	\$30
5 th		\$20	\$25	\$25
6 th			\$15	\$20

Awards and Scholarships

Grand Champion

\$2,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Grand Champion

\$1,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

Breed Champions

\$500 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Breed Champions

\$250 Continuing Education Scholarship

HEART O' TEXAS



LIVESTOCK SHOW

presented by  Bar None
COUNTRY STORE

HOTFR JACKPOT MARKET GOAT SHOW

Superintendent: Keith Smart

Judge: Eric Zimmerman

Tuesday, October 13th

Begin arrival: 1-5 p.m.

Kiosk check-in: 3-6 p.m.

Wednesday, October 14th

Show: Immediately following Jr. Goat Show which begins at 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Release: 1 p.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. **JACKPOT MARKET GOATS DO NOT NEED TO BE VALIDATED.**
3. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT. See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
4. **Animals will be stalled upon arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.**
5. Exhibitors will receive weight cards from the Superintendents upon arrival.
6. Scales will be provided by the HOT Livestock Show.
7. Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own goats. To check in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turned into show management by 3-6 p.m. Tuesday, October 13, 2020. After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
8. The top five (5) places from each class will be re-weighed. Any goat with weight more than five (5) pounds above its turned-in weight will be disqualified. Classes will be divided by weight according to the Superintendent. No weight limit.
9. Classes will be divided into divisions. Each division will have a Champion and a Reserve Champion. The Judge will then select a Grand and Reserve Grand from the division champions and reserves.
10. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
11. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion.
12. No shearing or clipping allowed on grounds. Goats must be shorn slick before they arrive. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
13. No blocking/trim tables/head stalls allowed on grounds. ANY GOAT CAUGHT ON A BLOCKING/TRIM TABLE/HEAD EXTENSION WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED.
14. Goats with horns must be tipped. Removal of horns on the grounds will be disqualified.
15. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
16. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Market Goat Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Class Premiums

\$12 of each entry within that class. All class winners will receive their entry fee back in prize money.

Place	With 15 head or less	More than 16 head
1 st	40%	34%
2 nd	30%	24%
3 rd	20%	15%
4 th	10%	12%
5 th		10%
6 th		5%

Awards

Grand Champion - \$150

Reserve Grand Champion - \$100



HOTFR JUNIOR SWINE SHOW

Superintendent: Mike Alton

Judge: Justin Rogers

Thursday, October 15th

Begin arrival: 1-7 p.m.

Friday, October 16th

All Swine continue arrival: 7-11 a.m.

Kiosk check-in for all Swine: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Saturday, October 17th

Scramble Swine Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Jr. Swine Show: 9 a.m.

Release: 2 p.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. **JUNIOR MARKET SWINE DO NOT NEED TO BE VALIDATED.**
3. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PRGRAM IN EFFECT. See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
4. **Animals will be stalled upon arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.**
5. Exhibitors will receive weight cards from the Superintendents upon arrival.
6. Scales will be provided by the HOT Livestock Show.
7. Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own pigs. To check in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turn into show management 9 a.m.-1 p.m. on Friday, October 16, 2020. After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
8. Classes will be divided by weight according to the Superintendent. No minimum weight.
9. Barrows or gilts may be entered. Boar pigs can show if 125 pounds or less.
10. The top two (2) places in each class will be re-weighed. Any swine weighing more than ten (10) pounds above its turned-in weight will be disqualified. Any pig classed out will be moved to its respective class in the crosses.
11. Hogs will be shown in a seven (7) breed format: White OPB, Black OPB, Duroc, Berkshire, Hampshire, Yorkshire & Crosses (breeds listed in show order). Animals selected by the judge will be classified. Any pig classed out will be moved to its respective class in the crosses.
12. Each breed will have a Breed Champion and a Reserve Breed Champion. The judge will then select a Grand Champion and a Reserve Grand Champion from the breed' champions and reserves.
13. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information. No clipping allowed on grounds.
14. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
15. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion.
16. Each exhibitor must keep pen clean at all times.
17. All pigs must be washed in the designated areas. No paint, powder, oil or other dressings permitted – only water on Junior Market Hogs.

18. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
19. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
20. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Market Hog Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Class Premiums

Premiums paid by the HOT Livestock Show will be paid based upon the number of head showing in each class by the following sliding scale:

Place	10 head or less	11-20 head	20 plus head
1 st	\$30	\$40	\$50
2 nd	\$25	\$35	\$40
3 rd	\$20	\$30	\$35
4 th		\$25	\$30
5 th		\$20	\$25
6 th			\$20

Awards and Scholarships

Grand Champion

\$2,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Grand Champion

\$1,000 Continuing Education Scholarship



HOTFR JACKPOT SWINE SHOW

Superintendent: Chuck Raley

Judge: Luke Parr

Thursday, October 15th

Begin arrival: 1-7 p.m.

Friday, October 16th

All Swine continue arrival: 7-11 a.m.

Kiosk check-in for all Swine: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Show: 3 p.m.

Saturday, October 17th

Release: 2 p.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. **JACKPOT MARKET SWINE DO NOT NEED TO BE VALIDATED.**
3. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT. See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
4. **Animals will be stalled upon arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.**
5. Exhibitors will receive weight cards from the Superintendents upon arrival.
6. Scales will be provided by the HOT Livestock Show.
7. Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own pigs. To check in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turn into show management 9 a.m.-1 p.m. on Friday, October 16, 2020. After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
8. Classes will be divided by weight according to the Superintendent. No minimum weight.
9. Barrows or gilts may be entered. Boar pigs can show if 125 pounds or less.
10. The top two (2) places in each class will be re-weighed. Any swine weighing more than ten (10) pounds above its turned-in weight will be disqualified. Any pig classed out will be moved to its respective class in the crosses.
11. Hogs will be shown in a seven (7) breed format: White OPB, Black OPB, Duroc, Berkshire, Hampshire, Yorkshire & Crosses (breeds listed in show order). Animals selected by the judge will be classified. Any pig classed out will be moved to its respective class in the crosses.
12. Each breed will have a Breed Champion and a Reserve Breed Champion. The judge will then select a Grand Champion and a Reserve Grand Champion from the breed' champions and reserves.
13. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information. No clipping allowed on grounds.
14. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
15. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion.
16. Each exhibitor must keep pen clean at all times.
17. All pigs must be washed in the designated areas. No paint, powder, oil or other dressings permitted – only water on Jackpot Market Hogs.
18. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.

- 19. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
- 20. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Junior Market Hog Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Champion Premiums

\$3 of each entry from the particular division
 Breed Champion, \$2
 Reserve Breed Champion, \$1

Class Premiums

All class winners will receive their entry fee back in prize money. \$9 of each entry within that class.

Place	With 15 head or less	More than 16 head
1 st	40%	34%
2 nd	30%	24%
3 rd	20%	15%
4 th	10%	12%
5 th		10%
6 th		5%

Awards

Grand Champion - \$150
Reserve Grand Champion - \$100



HOTFR JUNIOR CROSSBRED GILT SHOW

Superintendent: Chase Sligh

Judge: Ian Schaefer

Thursday, October 15th

Begin arrival: 1-7 p.m.

Friday, October 16th

All Swine continue arrival: 7-11 a.m.

Kiosk check-in for all Swine: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Sunday, October 18th

Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

HOTFR Crossbred Gilt Show immediately following

The United Showmanship Show following HOTFR Crossbred Gilt Show

Release: 10 a.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. Residue Avoidance Program: See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
3. There will be no entry limitations per class in this event. Gilts may not double enter in the Registered Breeding Gilt Show and the Crossbred Gilt Show.
4. Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own pigs. To check in for each show, Junior, Jackpot, The United & Crossbred Gilt Show, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card for each individual show. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turn into show management 9 a.m.-1 p.m. on Friday, October 16, 2020. After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
5. All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30th through the show date of the fair.
6. Crossbred: The minimum show weight is 200 lbs. and not to exceed 350 lbs. Gilts selected for weigh back must weigh no more than ten (10) lbs. above or heavier than the weight entered in the kiosks. The Heart O' Texas Livestock Show reserves the right to reweigh any gilt after the completion of kiosk check-in.
7. Animals will stall upon arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.
8. Classes will be broken as evenly as possible by weight for crossbreds.
9. Crossbred gilts will show for a Champion and Reserve Champion crossbred only.
10. Purebred and crossbred gilts may be entered in the Junior and/or Jackpot Shows.
11. No clipping allowed on grounds. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
12. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
13. Each exhibitor must keep pen clean at all times.
14. All pigs must be washed in the designated areas. No paint, powder, oil or other dressings permitted – only water on Junior breeding gilts.
15. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
16. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.

17. **Quality Counts:** To be eligible to compete in The United Breeding Gilt Show and Junior Crossbred Gilt Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Class Premiums

Premiums paid by the HOT Livestock Show will be paid based upon the number of head showing in each class by the following sliding scale:

Place	10 head or less	11-20 head	20 plus head
1 st	\$30	\$40	\$50
2 nd	\$25	\$35	\$40
3 rd	\$20	\$30	\$35
4 th		\$25	\$30
5 th		\$20	\$25
6 th			\$20

Awards and Scholarships

Grand Champion

\$500 Continuing Education Scholarship



THE UNITED BREEDING GILT SHOW

Superintendent: Chase Sligh

Judge: Ian Schaefer

Thursday, October 15th

Begin arrival: 1-7 p.m.

Friday, October 16th

All Swine continue arrival: 7-11 a.m.

Kiosk check-in for all Swine: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Sunday, October 18th

Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

HOTFR Crossbred Gilt Show immediately following

The United Showmanship Show following HOTFR Crossbred Gilt Show

Release: 10 a.m.

Special Rules

18. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
19. Residue Avoidance Program: See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
20. There will be no entry limitations per class in this event. Gilts may not double enter in the Registered Breeding Gilt Show and the Crossbred Gilt Show.
21. Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own pigs. To check in for each show, Junior, Jackpot, The United & Crossbred Gilt Show, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card for each individual show. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turn into show management 9 a.m.-1 p.m. on Friday, October 16, 2020. After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
22. All entries must be owned and continuously cared for by the exhibitor from June 30th through the show date of the fair. The date of purchase shall be construed to be the date transfer is recorded with the breed association.
23. To be eligible, purebred gilts must be validated with and adhere to all the rules of the Texas 4-H and FFA Gilt Validation Program administered by the Texas FFA. Exhibitors need to check with their local CEA or AST for local/county validation deadlines. Failure to abide by these rules will result in disqualification.
24. ORIGINAL REGISTRATION PAPERS must be in hand at check-in. Stamped duplicate applications, copies or electronic versions will NOT be accepted. Animals family registered and validated are eligible to compete in the Breeding Gilt Show provide all owners/exhibitors are individually listed and eligible. Animals with farm or ranch names listed as the owner will not be allowed to compete.
25. Purebred gilts will be shown according to age on registration papers.
Crossbred: The minimum show weight is 200 lbs. and not to exceed 350 lbs. Gilts selected for weigh back must weigh no more than ten (10) lbs. above or heavier than the weight entered in the kiosks. The Heart O' Texas Livestock Show reserves the right to reweigh any gilt after the completion of kiosk check-in.
26. Animals will stall upon arrival. To stall together, you must arrive together.
27. All animals should be born no earlier than January 1 and no later than April 30 of the current year. Classes will be broken as evenly as possible within breed by age for purebreds and by weight for crossbreds.
28. Breeds: Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, Landrace, Poland China, Spotted and Yorkshire.

If less than 8 head entered, breeds may be combined as follows:

Chester/Landrace

York/Hamp

Poland/Spot/Berk

Duroc

29. Each breed will have a Champion and a Reserve Champion. The judge will then select a Supreme Champion, Reserve Supreme Champion and top 5 overall from the breed champions and reserves. Crossbred gilts will show for a Champion crossbred only.
30. Purebred and crossbred gilts may be entered in the Junior and/or Jackpot Shows.
31. No clipping allowed on grounds. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
32. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
33. Each exhibitor must keep pen clean at all times.
34. All pigs must be washed in the designated areas. No paint, powder, oil or other dressings permitted – only water on Junior breeding gilts.
35. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
36. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
37. **Quality Counts:** To be eligible to compete in The United Breeding Gilt Show and Junior Crossbred Gilt Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Champion Premiums

TBD

Class Premiums

TBD

Awards and Scholarships

PUREBRED GILTS

Grand Champion

\$2,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

Reserve Grand Champion

\$1,000 Continuing Education Scholarship

THE UNITED BREEDING BEEF HEIFER SHOW

Superintendent (*American Beef Heifers*) Cooper Terrill
Superintendent (*British & Continental Beef Heifers*) Floyd Ingram
British/Continental Judge: Dean Fuchs
American Judge:

Wednesday, September 30, 2020

Begin Arrival: 12 Noon-10 p.m.

Thursday, October 1, 2020

All Heifers continue arrival: 7-11 a.m.

Kiosks open for all Heifers check-in: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Scramble Heifer Show (All breeds): 4 p.m.

Friday, October 2, 2020

The United Showmanship Show following conclusion of Jr. Heifer Shows

Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Saturday, October 3, 2020

The United American Heifer Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

The United British/Continental Heifer Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Coliseum

Release: 8 a.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. **RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT.**
3. To check in for each show, Junior and/or Jackpot, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information such as breed, date of birth, etc. All information must be entered into the kiosk and turned into show management by (see above). After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
4. **HEIFER VALIDATION INFORMATION:** To be eligible, all breeding beef heifers (including potential substitute heifers) **MUST** be validated with the Texas 4-H and FFA Breeding Heifer Validation Program. The deadline for heifer validation is June 30, 2020, but exhibitors need to check with their local County Extension Agent or Agriculture Science Teacher for local/county deadlines. Show officials will collect DNA samples on Breed Champion and Reserve Breed Champion heifers as well as any other heifer designated by Show Management. Show Management will make the final decision regarding any potential disqualification.
5. Animals entered in beef heifer show must be owned by the exhibitor AND registered in the records of the respective breed association (in the name of the exhibitor) on or before June 30, 2020. Permanent identification (i.e. brand or tattoo) must be present and must match the registration paper of the animal. Original registration papers must be solely in the name of the exhibitor. Partnerships of any form will not be allowed.
6. The tattoo/brand/registration papers will be checked on the top two (2) placing heifers at the conclusion of each class and must match the permanent ID that appears on the original registration paper. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure the brand or tattoo is legible prior to arrival on show grounds. Exhibitors will be disqualified if their heifer does not have a matching tattoo or brand, or if the tattoo or brand is illegible. In the event of a disqualification, the next placing heifer with matching identification will advance. **THE SHOW WILL NOT BE**

RESPONSIBLE FOR BRANDING HEIFERS OR ANY HEIFERS THAT NEED TO BE TATTOOED OR BE RETATTOOED!

7. Substitutions will only be allowed if the substitute heifer has been validated in the Texas 4H and FFA Heifer Validation Program.
8. Junior exhibiting animals sponsored by organizations which are holding the registration papers must obtain a photo static copy of the registration papers, or the papers themselves, and present them to the Superintendent for approval. In the case of photo copies, both sides of the registration paper must be photographed and presented to the Superintendent. If the rules of the sponsoring organization prevent the transfer of registration papers to the exhibitor until certain obligations are met, a notarized certificate must (1) state this fact and (2) give the date the animal was awarded to the exhibitor. In every case the date of ownership or awarding must be on or before June 30, 2020.

9. **The following are the breeds that will be shown IF eight (8) head are present. If less than eight (8) head, breed will show in ORAB or ORB:**

Angus	Beefmaster	Brangus	Charolais
Chianina	Grey Brahman	Hereford	Limousin
Maine Anjou	ORAB	ORB	Polled Hereford
Red Brahman	Red Angus	Red Brangus	Santa Gertrudis
Shorthorn	Simbrah	Simmental	

10. Each breed will have a Champion and a Reserve Champion. The judge will then select a Supreme Champion, Reserve Supreme Champion and top 5 overall from the breed champions and reserves.
11. No trim chutes allowed on grounds. Clippers allowed. This is a BLOW AND GO SHOW. All heifers will be shown with hair in a natural state WITHOUT the use of foams, glues, oils, adhesives, paints, etc. Heifers with any type of foam, glue, paint, oil, adhesive, etc., in the hair will be disqualified and premiums forfeited. Heifers will be toweled. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
12. No generators allowed on grounds.
13. No cattle tie-outs.
14. No on-ground fans. Only rear or side mounted fans permitted if mounted on display.
15. All exhibitors must wear number assigned to each animal.
16. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion.
17. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
18. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
19. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in The United Breeding Beef Heifer Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

HEART O' TEXAS



LIVESTOCK SHOW

presented by Bar None COUNTRY STORE

Class Breaks

****Heifer classes will be divided by age. Classes of less than five (5) head may be combined.****

The following are the Class Breaks for the Junior Breeding Beef Heifer Show for all breeds:

Class 1	3/1/20 and after
Class 2	1/1/20 to 2/29/20
Class 3	11/1/19 to 12/31/19
Class 4	9/1/19 to 10/31/19
Class 5	5/1/19 to 8/31/19
Class 6	3/1/19 to 4/30/19
Class 7	1/1/19 to 2/28/19
Class 8	9/1/18 to 12/31/18

Champion Premiums

TBD

Class Premiums

TBD

Awards

TBD

HEART O' TEXAS



LIVESTOCK SHOW

presented by Bar None COUNTRY STORE

THE UNITED PROSPECT STEER SHOW

Superintendent: Anthony Meurer

Asst. Superintendent: Don Jones

Judge:

Sunday, October 4, 2020

Begin arrival: 1-8 p.m.

Monday, October 5, 2020

All Steers continue arrival: 7-11 a.m.

Kiosks check-in for all Steers: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Tuesday, October 6, 2020

The United Showmanship Show immediately following – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Wednesday, October 7, 2020

Show: 8 a.m. – Extraco Show Pavilion Arena

Release: 9 a.m.

Special Rules

1. This show is subject to the General Rules, Judges' Rules and the following Special Rules.
2. RESIDUE AVOIDANCE PROGRAM IN EFFECT. See General Rules & Regulations #34 & #35.
3. **We will be following the 2018-2021 Texas Show Steer Breed Classification Guidelines. For complete details, please visit <http://animalscience.tamu.edu/wp-content/uploads/sites/14/2012/04/2015-Texas-Show-Steer-Classification-011416.pdf>.**
4. No weight limit. Classes will be divided by weight according to the Superintendent.
5. **Kiosks:** Exhibitors will be responsible for weighing their own steers. To check in for each show, Junior and/or The United, exhibitors will scan the independent barcode located on the weight card. Exhibitors will be prompted by the kiosk to enter **ALL** information from the weight cards, such as breed, weight, etc. **All information entered into the kiosk at self-check-in must match the weight cards and will prevail in the instance of a discrepancy.** All information must be entered into the kiosk and weight cards turn into show management by 9 a.m.-2 p.m. on Monday, October 5, 2020. After completing the **self-check-in**, the kiosk will generate a confirmation receipt. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure that all information on the receipt is correct. Exhibitors must submit the weight cards in its entirety to show personnel, who will then give the exhibitor a portion back. It is recommended that exhibitors keep confirmation receipts from the kiosk throughout the duration of the show(s).
6. The top two (2) places in each class will be re-weighed. Any steer weighing more than 5% above its turned-in weight will be disqualified. Third place will be reweighed if necessary.
7. Steers will be showing in breed format. Eight (8) head constitutes a breed. Steers not making the eight (8) head minimum or being classed out of their respective breeds will be put into a crossbreed or ABC. For additional information, please visit hotfair.com for the Texas Show Steer Breed Classification Guidelines. Breeds are as follows: Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Red Angus, Shorthorn, Brahman, ABC, Brangus, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Charolais, Limousin, Maine-Anjou, Simmental, Black Cross, Red Cross & Other Cross.
8. Each breed will have a Breed Champion and a Reserve Breed Champion. The judge will then select a Grand Champion, Reserve Grand Champion, and top 5 overall from the breed champions and reserves.
9. **ALL STEERS MUST BE STATE VALIDATED.**
10. All tags other than state and county validation must be removed.
11. The HOT Livestock Show will appoint classifiers to inspect steers. All steers will be classified by three (3) person committee. Decisions of the classifiers will be final and protests will not be considered. Interference with classifiers will not be tolerated.
12. No trim chutes allowed on grounds. Clippers allowed.

13. This is a BLOW AND GO SHOW. All steers will be shown with hair in a natural state WITHOUT the use of foams, glues, oils, adhesives, paints, etc. Steers with any type of foam, glue, paint, oils, adhesive, etc., in the hair will be disqualified and premiums forfeited. Steers will be toweled.
14. No UNETHICAL FITTING. See General Rules for more information.
15. No generators allowed on grounds. No on-ground fans. Only rear or side mounted fans permitted if mounted on display.
16. No cattle tie-outs.
17. All exhibitors must wear the number assigned to each animal.
18. All changes and substitutions will be up to the Superintendents' discretion.
19. The HOT Livestock Show reserves the right to change the show schedule, delete classes or add breeds/classes at the discretion of the Show Management.
20. All exhibitors must show their own animals in the respective Showmanship Shows.
21. Quality Counts: To be eligible to compete in the Unite Prospect Market Steer Show, exhibitors will need Quality Counts verification. The Quality Counts verification number must be recorded on the Show Entry Form when entering the project. Please refer to the website <https://agrilife.org/qualitycounts/> for information on how to become verified.

Champion Premiums

TBD

Class Premiums

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Awards

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