

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

### **Is the Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo cancelled?**

- Due to the current COVID-19 situation the Heart O' Texas Fair & Rodeo is having a modified schedule that only includes One HOT Rodeo, One HOT Bullfight, and the Heart O' Texas Livestock Show.

### **When is the Heart O' Texas Livestock Show?**

- The Livestock Show is September 30 – October 18.

### **What is 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.

### **How do I enter this year's show?**

- All entries for HOT and The United must be done through your Ag Science Teacher/County Extension Agent and entered into the online system. The online entry system can be found at [www.hotfair.com](http://www.hotfair.com).

### **When is the deadline to enter?**

- The entry deadline is September 11 but please check with your local Ag Science Teacher/County Extension Agent as they may have their entry deadline sooner.

### **Can I enter the HOT Livestock Show and The United?**

- Yes, you can enter your project in either the HOTFR, the United, or enter into both shows.

### **What shows are happening this year?**

- The HOTFR will host its Junior Breeding Heifer, Junior Steer, Junior and Jackpot Lambs, Junior and Jackpot Goats, Junior and Jackpot Swine and Junior Crossbred Gilt Shows.
- The United Shows include Youth Breeding Heifers, Youth Prospect Market Steers, and Youth Purebred Breeding Gilts.

### **Will you have the contests this year?**

- Unfortunately, all contests have been cancelled for this year and we plan on having them back in 2021.

### **Do my animals have to be validated?**

- Breeding heifers, steers, and breeding gilts entered in the HOTFR and The United must be validated through the Texas 4-H/FFA Validation Program. Heart O' Texas Junior/Jackpot Lambs, Junior/Jackpot Goats and Junior/Jackpot Swine/Junior Crossbred Gilts do not require validation.

### **Where can I find the Exhibitor Catalog, Schedule and Entry Packet?**

- All information including our dates, deadlines, exhibitor catalog, schedule and entry packet can be found on our website at <https://www.hotfair.com/events/2020/livestock-show>