

Junior Swine

Market Swine

Premium Schedule

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| \$35 | \$25 | \$20 | \$15 | \$10 |

ENTRIES CLOSE SEPTEMBER 7, 2019

Premiums to be paid for 1st and 2nd place only in classes of 10 or smaller.

ALL LOUISIANA BRED CERTIFICATES MUST BE INCLUDED WITH ENTRY. WE WILL NOT ACCEPT CERTIFICATES AT WEIGH IN.

THE STATE FAIR OF LOUISIANA SUPPORTS THE ARK-LA-TEX AGRICULTURAL COUNCIL JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SALE RULES (PLEASE READ IN GENERAL RULES & JUNIOR GENERAL RULES).

Check or money order for entry fees must accompany application for entries. Entry Fee: \$20.00 per animal.

Entry fees will not be refunded unless cancellation is made in writing and received prior to closing entry date, September 7, 2019.

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE GENERAL RULES GOVERNING THE EXHIBIT OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY IN THIS DIVISION.

All rules, regulations, premium offerings, etc., appearing in this catalog are subject to correction in event of any printing errors that would tend to change the meaning or intent.

THE COST FOR EAR TAGS AND DNA IDENTIFICATION IS \$7.00 PER ANIMAL

1. State Fair ear tags and DNA kits will be issue to the 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor **ONLY**. The 4-H Agent or FFA Advisor will then issue the ear tags and DNA kits to the exhibitor. It will be the exhibitor's responsibility to tag their animal and pull a hair sample for DNA. It will also be the exhibitor's responsibility to mail the DNA sample and information card back to the State Fair. State Fair will not except DNA samples and information cards after Aug. 10,2019.
2. Sanitary rules and regulations for swine will apply to all swine on the Fairgrounds.

3. NO ANIMAL CAN BE SHOWN OR ENTERED IN BOTH THE MARKET SWINE AND SWINE BREEDING DIVISIONS.
4. Exhibitors will be allowed to show up to five (5) market hogs.
5. Market Swine will have a Barrow Division. All Barrows will show in the Barrow Division and all market gilts will show in the Gilt Division. The Grand Champion Drive will consist of the Champion weight division in both Barrows and Gilts.
6. **Minimum class weight will be 215 lbs. and maximum class weight will be 285 lbs.**
7. 4-H Club Agents, FFA Advisors or a designated leader will be responsible for weighing their parish or chapters hogs between 7:00 AM and 1:00 PM on the official weigh day designated by the fair management. Official scales will be provided. 4-H Club Agents, FFA Advisors or designated leader will be responsible for turning in their weigh cards to the superintendent prior to 2:00 p.m. on weigh day. (Weighback of animals as placings are completed would consist of the top four in each class, plus any random selections of other placings in that class, at the discretion of the superintendent. **(Weights are not subject to protest.)**)
8. Market Swine shown at the 2019 State Fair of Louisiana will be allowed to wear one ear tag. The official SFL Tag. The Louisiana-Bred Certificates must be included with the entry on Sept. 7, 2019.

DRUG TESTING: All Champion Market Swine will be drug tested. All Other Market Swine are subject to drug testing upon request from State Fair of Louisiana officials.

Any food animal must not exceed FDA/EPA/USDA-established tolerances for any foreign substance (identified or unidentified) including drugs, pesticides, feed additives, or other chemicals.

Positive test results of residue testing are subject to investigation by USDA and FDA for prosecution.

Any misrepresentation of a food animal that can potentially affect the acceptability of the carcass will be considered fraud.

RE-WEIGHING: Upon completion of each class show management will re-weigh the top four market animals. Swine will be given a weight tolerance of 5% in gain from the weight listed on the official card. Any animal not within this range will be disqualified.

WEIGHT DIVISIONS

1. Light
2. Medium
3. Medium Heavy

4. Heavy

Sponsored by Louisiana Pork Producers' Association for the State Fair of Louisiana & LSU Junior Swine Breeding Shows in 2019.

REQUIREMENTS FOR NOMINATION

1. A breeder must be a member of the Louisiana Pork Producers Association (LPPA) to nominate hogs for Louisiana Bred Swine Shows. Each breeder is responsible for ordering his/her tags. All tags must be ordered no later than two weeks before possession date. Order tags from LPPA, P.O. Box 182, Winnfield, LA 71483.
2. A Louisiana Bred hog must be conceived, farrowed and raised in Louisiana in order to be nominated.
3. All Louisiana Bred market hogs and breeding swine must be ear tagged with an official LPPA tag in the ear before leaving the farm or at a recognized sale and no later than the deadline date. Louisiana Bred tags cannot be used for any other purpose other than to identify LPPA. Recognized Louisiana Bred dates for the state shows entered are:
State Fair of Louisiana Market Breeding - August 1
LSU Spring Jr. Market Hog and Breeding Show - December 1
Louisiana Breeders Futurity - May 1
4. The cost to Nominate Louisiana bred is \$8.00. All request must be no later than two weeks before possession date.
5. Each breeder must fill out a nomination form and return it to the Executive Secretary no later than five days after possession date. If this is not done in the time specified those pigs will not be recognized as Louisiana Bred (and will not be eligible to compete for Louisiana Bred) premiums. Failure to properly nominate pigs sold as Louisiana Bred or the misuse of Louisiana Bred tags will subject the breeder to penalties set forth by the LPPA. Penalty — Any breeder judged to have misused the Louisiana Bred Swine Program by illegally nominating and/or tagging show pigs as Louisiana Bred and/or using unauthorized practices to misrepresent Louisiana Bred show pigs shall be subjected to a 1-year suspension from participating in Louisiana Bred Swine Show programs for the first offense and a 3-year suspension for a second offense as ruled by the Louisiana Bred Swine Show Committee under authorization by the LPPA Executive Committee.
6. In the event of a Louisiana Bred swine producer fails to nominate Louisiana Bred pigs and these pigs place at a LPPA sanctioned livestock show, the producer will be assessed a \$50.00 fine for each pig not nominated. In the event the breeder refuses to pay the fine, he/she will not be allowed to purchase tags or nominate pigs in the future until such fine is paid.

GENERAL RULES

1. Louisiana Bred is a registered trademark of the Louisiana Pork Producers Association (LPPA) and cannot be used without written permission by the LPPA
2. The rules and regulations governing the state show as published in the show catalog for each show will apply.
3. The LPPA and Louisiana Bred Swine Show Committee reserve the right to interpret, amend and carry out the rules and regulations governing the Louisiana Bred Swine Shows sponsored by the LPPA.
4. The Louisiana Bred Swine Show Committee will serve as the LPPA Livestock Show Protest Committee to handle any protest that is formally filed with the livestock show manager at any state livestock district show. If there is a problem or protest, it must be presented to the LPPA Louisiana Bred representative assigned to check Louisiana Bred entries at the district show. A protest fee of \$50.00 will be charged.
5. The LPPA follows the same guidelines/rules as the three sanctioned Shows (State Fair of Louisiana, LSU Livestock Show, and Louisiana Breeders Futurities) on animal welfare which includes drug testing and fitting of animals.

AWARDS AND PREMIUMS

1. Market Hogs: Grand Champion Louisiana-bred: TBA by LPPA
Reserve Grand Champion Louisiana-bred: TBA by LPPA
2. Payment will be withheld until results of animal testing are reported for the show.
3. LOUISIANA PORK PRODUCERS will present awards to the exhibitor of the:
GRAND CHAMPION LOUISIANA BRED MARKET SWINE & RESERVE
GRAND CHAMPION LOUISIANA BRED MARKET SWINE.
4. LPPA premiums may be established by the Executive Committee to be paid for the top 5 Louisiana Bred market hogs placing in the top 10 places of the regular show classes providing there are at least 10 hogs in each class.

JUDGING

1. All hogs entered in the Louisiana Bred Swine Shows will be judged within their respective classes during the regular class judging.
2. The first and second place Louisiana Bred hog in each class (1st and 2nd place) will return for the selection of the Louisiana Bred Champion and Reserve Champion, for each division or breed Reserve Grand Champion, for each division or breed as shown. After the regular show Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion have been selected, the Louisiana Bred Grand Champion will be selected from the division or breed champions with the reserve champions standing by the Reserve Grand Champion selection.

3. Only those pigs that are certified Louisiana Bred and recognized by LPPA are eligible to compete and receive premiums.

FEED BOXES, WATER TROUGHS OR PAILS ARE NOT TO BE LEFT UNATTENDED. ALL ANIMALS ARE TO BE FED AND WATERED UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF AN ATTENDANT AND SUCH EQUIPMENT IS TO BE REMOVED IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING FEEDING OR WATERING. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS RULE CAN RESULT IN FORFEIT OF PREMIUMS AWARDED AND/OR REMOVAL OF ANIMALS FROM SHOW OR SALE. AUTOMATIC WATERERS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN SWINE PENS.

PARISH GROUPS (Must have three parishes or more to have a parish group class)

1. Where there are one or more Parish Groups of swine are exhibited from a Parish, only one premium will be paid and that to the group receiving the highest placing.
2. Parish groups will receive ribbons instead of premium money.

CLASS

1. Market Swine Parish Groups, consisting of 6 market swine, all from one parish, with not more than 5 animals entered by any one 4-H Club member or FFA member.