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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Friends:

The Washington County Fair Association would like to invite you to participate in the Oldest County Fair in Texas! From September 11th through September 18th there won't be a more exciting place to be. For over 142 years our staff, volunteers and most importantly, our generous supporters have worked diligently to bring a fun filled event to our community.

Our Board of Directors and Committee Volunteers are working hard preparing for the live music, parade, rodeos, trail ride, carnival, judging contests, special attractions, bull riding extravaganza with mutton bustin', wild steer saddling, livestock judging, country creations and country store, queen's contest, commercial exhibits, food and drink concessions, barbeque cook-off, livestock shows, calf scramble, arts and crafts shows, and other contests and entertainment.

The Board strives each year to expand our scholarship program. In 2009, we awarded 18 scholarships to graduating seniors. We continue to see nothing but positive results from the youth in our community.

The Fair offers something to everyone. I look forward to seeing you at the Fair and want to wish all the exhibitors Best of Luck!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tommy Ladewig".

Tommy L. Ladewig

President

Washington County Fair Association

GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

NOTICE: All exhibitors and participants shall read carefully the following rules and regulations as rules will be strictly enforced without deviation of any kind.

The Washington County Fair Association reserves to its Executive Board the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, and differences in regard thereto or otherwise arising out of, connected with, or incident to the Washington County Fair, and the right to amend or add to these rules as its judgment may determine. An exhibitor/participant who violates any of the general, division, show or special rules as published in this catalog will forfeit all privileges and premiums and be subject to such.

Special rules or conditions are published in each division where necessary. If there is a conflict between any special rules or conditions of any division and the general rules and regulations, the special rules or conditions will prevail.

1. **The Fair will officially open Saturday, September 11, 2010 at 6:00 p.m.** unless postponed by the Executive Board, which they hereby claim the right to do, either in part or whole, for cause whatsoever, for the general good of all concerned. The gates will open to visitors from 7:00 a.m. to 12 midnight. Positively no one will be allowed in the commercial exhibition buildings after 10:00 p.m. other than those holding proper credentials.
2. The act of entering an animal in the Washington County Fair is the giving of verification by the exhibitor and parent/guardian that they have read the Washington County Fair Association Code of Show Ring Ethics and understand the consequences and penalties provided for actions prohibited by the code.
3. Exhibits owned by 4-H or FFA Chapters may not be entered in the Junior Division of the Washington County Fair.
4. In completing application entry cards, follow exact wording in the premium list, giving department and class number.
5. All entries shall be numbered by tag and/or label attached to such animals or articles before being received by the chairperson in charge of the respective department and will remain under his or her charge until the close of the Fair.
6. All exhibited articles must be called for within ten days after the Fair or they will be forfeited to the Washington County Fair.
7. During the Fair, no exhibits in any department will be allowed to be removed from the grounds without a permit. Permits can only be obtained from a show superintendent and/or committee chairperson(s). All livestock entries must remain in place throughout the Fair dates.
8. Premiums will be designated by a blue ribbon for first, red for second, white for third, etc.
9. Premiums will be paid on or before November 1. The Fair Association reserves the right to pay all premiums on a percentage basis of the net profit if enough money is not taken in during the Fair to pay the full amount as shown in this catalog.

10. Every effort will be made for the security of the exhibitors and others in attendance, but the Association will not be responsible for any loss or damage to articles or animals while on the grounds or in transit thereto from any cause whatsoever.

11. Exhibitors will be required to keep their spaces in clean condition by removing filth and litter and placing same in front of said place where the cleanup crews may get to it with ease.

12. It shall be left to the discretion of the judges whether or not an exhibit is sufficiently up to standard of that class to be given first premium.

13. All attendees of the Washington County Fair are required to have gate tickets, either season or daily. Open beef cattle exhibitor's gate passes will be issued for vehicles of livestock exhibitors for convenience in hauling feed and supplies. **Committee persons and exhibitor vehicles may park in the north parking lot if space is available. The Washington County Fair Association assumes no liability for vehicles parked on the fairgrounds. All trailers must be removed from the fairgrounds and parked in designated trailer parking area.**

14. The members of the press and directors and secretaries of adjacent fairs are invited to attend our Fair and exhibitions. They are requested to make known their intentions to the Fair Secretary, who will send them the required tickets by mail.

15. No claim for injury to any person or property shall ever be asserted, nor suit instituted or maintained against the Washington County Fair Association or its officers or agents, Washington County, Texas, by or on behalf of any person, firm or corporation, or their agents or representatives servants or employees, having license or privileges to exhibit on the fairgrounds or occupy space thereon.

16. The Fair Association reserves the right to use any Junior Livestock Division sale animal for the Livestock Judging Contest and any animal entered in the Dairy Show for the Dairy Judging Contest.

17. All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$100.00, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of the complaint or appeal, and must be delivered to the management of the Washington County Fair Association immediately after the occasion for such protest. Protest will be accepted prior to judging or immediately at the conclusion of judging. Any protest of eligibility as to age or breeding of animals must be filed with the management before judging. Judging procedures will not be interrupted for protest investigation. A decision may be withheld until a thorough investigation is complete, depending on the basis of the protest.

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 structured classes of competition. This code applies to all livestock offered in any event at the Washington County Fair.

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 fine example. Owners,

exhibitors, fitters, trainers and absolutely responsible persons who violate the Code of Ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and sale proceeds and may be prohibited from future participation in the Washington County Fair. Exhibitors who violate this Code of Ethics demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and will be reported to the Texas Association of Fairs and Exhibitions and other appropriate entities, which may result in an exhibitor being 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.

1. All exhibitors must present upon request of fair and livestock officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age, or any facts relating thereto is prohibited.
2. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or absolutely responsible persons shall provide an animal health certificate from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or show officials, etc.
3. Junior exhibitors are expected to care for and groom their animals while at the Fair.
4. 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 show is giving consent by owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, and/or absolutely responsible person for fair and show management to obtain any specimens of urine, saliva, blood or other substances from the animal to be used for testing. Animals entered in an event which culminates with the animal entering the food chain shall not be administered drugs other than in accordance with applicable federal, state and provincial statutes, regulations and rules. No livestock shall be exhibited if the drugs administered in accordance with federal, state, and provincial statutes, regulations and rules affect the animal's performance or appearance at the event. Any liquid or substance not considered part of an accepted and normal diet for livestock is deemed illegal and inhumane. For example: the use of alcoholic, carbonated, or caffeinated beverages or chocolate flavored nutritional supplements as drench or filler. Also prohibited is any other substance that may interfere with the residue testing procedure.

If the laboratory report on the analysis of saliva, urine, blood, or other sample taken from livestock indicates the presence of forbidden drugs or medications, 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 substances 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 to the laboratory pertains to the sample taken from animal in question and correctly reflects the condition of the animal at the time the sample was taken, with the burden on the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainers, or absolutely responsible person to prove otherwise.

After animals arrive on the fairgrounds, 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 veterinarian, with the permission and supervision of the show chairperson.

5. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or later it's natural contour, conformation, or appearance, except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal is prohibited.

6. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance, or other similar practices is not accepted and are prohibited.
7. 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. On the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect. No person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them. Protests may be made in accordance with Rule 17 of the General Rules and Regulations as printed in the Livestock Division catalogs.
8. No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person may conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative actions or in action to violate this code of ethics. Violations of this rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action.
9. The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition to the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of the code of ethics.
10. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible persons to have disciplinary action taken by the fair or show for violation of the code of show ring ethics and any other rules of competition of the fair or show without recourse against the fair.
11. The act of entering an animal in the fair is giving of certification by owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person that he or she has read the Washington County Fair Association's Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences and 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.

TEXAS ANIMAL HEALTH COMMISSION

Advisor: Bruce Chandler

Summary of Texas Requirements for entry of livestock (domestic and exotic), poultry and ratites into the State and into shows, fairs, exhibitions, and assemblies:

NOTE: The following summary is a condensed version of the Texas Animal Health Commissions regulations. The regulations will supersede this summary if there is a dispute between the two.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK DIVISION:

COLTS: All colts must be EIA (coggins) tested within 12 months.

COMMERCIAL HEIFERS: Official health certificate within 30 days of entry.

1. Brucellosis test within 30 days is required of calfhood vaccinated heifers that are over 18 months old. Official calfhood vaccinated heifers that are parturient or post parturient are test eligible regardless of age.

2. Non-vaccinated heifers over 18 months must be tested within 30 days of show.

BARROWS, CARCASS HOGS, COMMERCIAL STEERS, LAMBS, STEERS, AND WETHER GOATS: One health certificate will be issued for each species covering all entries.

The above Guidelines are subject to change by the Texas Animal Health Commission.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK DIVISION RULES

1. All entries in this division are subject to the General Rules and Regulations published in this catalog, and to these Division Rules. In the event of a conflict between these Division Rules and the General Rules and Regulations, the provisions of these Division Rules shall prevail.
2. Participation in this division is limited to projects owned, fed, and cared for by Washington County 4-H or FFA members in good standing and under the supervision of the County Agents and Ag-Science Teachers.
3. 4-H & FFA members must be enrolled, attending, and in good standing with public or private elementary or secondary schools.
4. Junior Livestock Exhibitors who show in the Washington County Fair must live in Washington County or attend school in a Washington County School system the entire duration of the feeding period of their Junior Livestock project(s).
5. Junior Livestock Exhibitors suspended under the Texas Education Code 33.081 “No Pass, No Play” are ineligible to participate in any Washington County Fair Activity event or competition. Any animal entered in the Junior Livestock Division by an ineligible exhibitor is ineligible for competition.
6. Any youth that is interested in showing in the Washington County Fair must be nine (9) years of age or entering the third (3rd) grade in accordance with 4-H Rules. All third graders wanting to show in the Washington County Fair will need to note that some projects will need to be purchased while in the second (2nd) grade. Upon purchase and start of the project, these members will be required to attend the mandatory weigh-in/tag-in programs and educational programs relating to their projects.
7. 4 - H members must have joined a Washington County 4 - H Club by the ownership deadline of their Fair project and must attend 5 of their club meetings from October through July, except for 4 - H members who are joining 4 - H for the first time, regardless of age, who must attend 50% of their club meetings from the time they join a 4 - H club.
8. Exhibitors are required to meet attendance requirements of the club or chapter entered under.
9. 4-H/FFA members who have graduated from high school prior to the Fair are not eligible.
10. A Washington County 4-H/FFA member may participate in only one County Junior Livestock show in Texas during the current calendar year, January 1 to December 31.
11. There must be at least one animal per exhibitor to have a family tag-in.
12. Entry applications must be submitted on the current official Washington County Fair Association entry form in accordance with the instructions thereon. Project entry dates are as follows:

<u>PROJECT</u>	<u>APPLICATION DATE</u>	<u>PROJECT</u>	<u>APPLICATION DATE</u>
Barrow	June 10	Lambs	June 1
Carcass Hog	June 7	Rabbits-Bred/Owned	June 1
Colt	February 27	Rabbits –Purchased	August 8
Commercial Heifers	February 21	Steers	March 24
Commercial Steers	April 10	Turkeys	February 21
Broilers	May 13	Wether Goats	June 1

Entry fee to participate in the Junior Livestock Division will be \$25.00. That entry fee is to be paid at the FIRST division that the exhibitor enters. At any subsequent entry, an exhibitor will only need to complete the entry card and other paperwork necessary for that division. Included in the entry fee will be a complimentary season pass to the Washington County Fair. **(ENTRY FEES ARE NON- REFUNDABLE.)**

13. Release of Liability and Indemnity Agreement and Drug Certification Form must be signed by the exhibitor and parent/guardian for each species entered. No Junior Livestock Division entry will be allowed to show without this form being completed.

14. The act of entering an animal in the Junior Livestock Division is the giving of verification by the exhibitor and parent/guardian that they have read the Washington County Fair Association Code of Show Ring Ethics and understands the consequences of and penalties provided by the actions prohibited by the code.

15. Undesirable and/or sifted (including under/over weight) animals will be removed from the Fair before judging. Each project’s committee will have absolute authority in determining fitness of livestock and poultry to remain in the show and sale.

16. Only Washington County Fair, state validation, and government mandated ear tags will be allowed on any Junior Livestock Division project.

17. Exhibitors must be present to show their project, but if absent due to conflicting Fair events or illness, another Washington County 4-H or FFA Junior Livestock paid exhibitor may show their project provided the substitute showman has been approved by the respective committee chairperson before showing the project. Injury or medical conditions considered on a case by case basis.

18. If an exhibitor brings two (2) or more exhibits to the Washington County Fair, the exhibitor must show the exhibits or they will be disqualified from the Junior Livestock Show and will not be eligible to sell in the Junior Livestock Sale.

19. 4-H/FFA members are responsible to care for (feed, water, etc.) all their projects during the Fair. Coops, pens, stalls, and aisle must be kept clean at all times. Failure to comply with this rule will result in projects removal from the show. If sold, the exhibitor’s check will be withheld.

20. The Junior Livestock Sale will be held Thursday, September 16, at 2:00 p.m.

21. The Junior Livestock Sale will consist of 260 lots. All sale lots will be sold by the head or pen. Each project is being guaranteed the following number of sale lots:

46 Barrow	10 pens of Broilers	24 Steers
29 Carcass Hogs	13 Lambs	5 Turkeys
14 Colts	34 pens of Rabbits	28 Wether Goats

All remaining lots will be allocated on an equal percentage basis to be determined after all entries have arrived at the Fair and are duly qualified.

22. All barrows, broilers, lambs, rabbits, turkeys, steers and wether goats on the Junior Livestock Sale order will be terminal. A buyer's only choice of disposition of the animal will either be local slaughter or resale through the Washington County Fair. Animals which do not make the Junior Livestock Sale will be released on Sunday.

23. 4-H/FFA exhibitors can sell only one project in the Junior Livestock Sale.

24. All Grand and Reserve Champions must sell unless an exhibitor has shown more than one Grand or Reserve Champion. In this case, the Exhibitor may sell the Grand Champion of their choice or the Reserve Champion of their choice. Grand Champions must sell over Reserve Champions. All other qualified projects must sell.

25. Exhibitors having more than one project eligible to sell in the Junior Livestock Sale must sell their project that is first called for in the Sale Order.

26. To be eligible for a showmanship award in any division, an exhibitor must be a participating exhibitor in that division and show their own animal.

27. An exhibitor must own 100% of their project throughout the feeding period (family tag-in included), starting at the initial entry date. An exhibitor must feed and care for their project in Washington County on their facility or a facility approved by a majority of the specie's committee. An exhibitor leaving the county or the committee approved facility with their project during the feeding period must notify their respective committee chairperson. Violation of this rule will cause the exhibitor and project to be disqualified from the Junior Livestock Division. Division members will have the authority to inspect the exhibitor's project(s).

28. All exhibitors with sale entries are responsible for their livestock or poultry during the Sale. Exhibitors must be present when their entry is sold, but if not present, another exhibitor may show their sale entry. If absent because of illness or other legitimate excuse, a junior exhibitor may ask another 4H/FFA Washington County Fair Exhibitor to handle the sale order entry. The exhibitor must notify and obtain permission from their committee chairperson of the substitution. If the seller has not obtained permission and has no excuse for his/her absence deemed valid by a majority of the Junior Livestock Division chairpersons, his/her Sale entry will be subject to an additional 25% penalty. The amount of that penalty will be forwarded to the Washington County Fair Scholarship Fund.

29. ALL SALES ARE FINAL

30. A 6% commission will be retained by the Fair's Junior Livestock Division on all Junior Livestock Auction sales.

31. Ear tags and wing bands must be left in place. Removal is prohibited.
32. Decorations of Junior Livestock Sale animals or commercial heifers for the auction are prohibited. Animals must be presented for auction in their natural show state
33. The Junior Livestock Division is designed to be educational and beneficial to its exhibitors. Any Exhibitor or their Parent/Guardian not adhering to the General, Jr. Livestock, or Division Rules may ban that Exhibitor from participating in the Washington County Fair for a time determined by the Executive Board.
34. Following the Fair, a note will be sent to all Junior Livestock Division exhibitors listing their buyers and add-on contributors, name, address and phone number, sale/add-on amount. All Junior Livestock exhibitors must write Thank You Letters to their **buyers, add-on contributors and award sponsors**. The Thank You letters must be submitted to the Fair Office in a **stamped** envelope, complete with buyer's name and address, and exhibitor's name and return address for approval by October 4, 4:30 p.m. **Letters received after that time through October 12th (One Week) will be assessed a 1% penalty on the Sale Price of their project(s). Letters received after October 12th will be assessed an additional 1% per day on the Sale Price of their project(s) until the letter is received.** All checks will be mailed November 1, provided thank you letters to buyers and sponsors were submitted to the Fair Office. If drug results are pending on tested animals, those checks will be held until all drug results are complete. Buyer's Banquet will be held Monday, October 18, 2010.
35. All County Agricultural Agents and Ag-Science Teachers serve as advisory members to all committees in the Junior Livestock Division.
36. Drug Certification Agreement: Exhibitor and Parent/Guardian certify that the entry has not been administered or that the Exhibitor and Parent/Guardian has any knowledge that this entry has received any substance not approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and/or the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for food animals. Furthermore, the Exhibitor and Parent/Guardian certifies that this entry is not, nor will be, within any withdrawal time relative to the administration of any drug, chemical, or feed additive by the FDA and/or the USDA by the time the animal(s) is officially weighed or checked in by the show.
37. a) Random drug testing may be conducted, with entries to be tested being selected under the direction of the Washington County Fair Association Executive Board on the day of the shows.
- b) Emergency Treatment: If an animal requires emergency treatment while on show grounds, only a licensed veterinarian will be allowed to administer any drug, chemical, or feed additive. The Chairperson(s) of that committee must be notified.
- c) Treated Animals: Should an animal(s) which has been sold in the Jr. Livestock Sale require a withdrawal period, the Washington County Fair (WCF) will care for the animal for the duration of the withdrawal period with a charge to the exhibitor for the care. The exhibitor hereby releases the show from any damage, which might arise out of such feeding.
38. Disclaimer of Warranties: The WCF expressly disclaims any expressed or implied warranties (including merchantability), whether the goods or service are provided by the WCF or by others (such as drug testing). The WCF does not provide security or guard services and is not responsible for the acts of third parties. Exhibitors and exhibitor's parents/guardians agree that the WCF shall be entitled to disqualify any exhibitor whose animal(s) tests positive for any

drug even if the exhibitor and the exhibitor's parents/guardians are innocent of any wrong doing and had no role in the administration of the drug shown by the drug test. Even if the source of the drug is unknown, the WCF shall be entitled to disqualify the exhibitor. Disqualification results in forfeiture of all auction proceeds.

39. Disqualification: The show reserves the right to disqualify any animal found in violation of the use of drugs, chemicals, or feed additives and the exhibitor will forfeit all auction sale money if the animal is disqualified. If an animal(s) is disqualified for testing positive, the class will not change. An exhibitor of an animal testing positive for any drug or medication or unapproved chemical may forfeit all rights and privileges to exhibit in the future at the show.

40. The showing of unethically fitted livestock is prohibited. Unethical fitting means any physical or physiological attempt to alter the natural conformation, musculature, or weight of an animal by use of injections or ingested material not conducive to the continued health or marketability of its carcass. No change in the major color pattern of an animal by painting or dyeing will be allowed.

41. The act of filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping, drench tubes or any other method (per as by esophagus) is prohibited.

42. If an exhibitor, parent/guardian of an exhibitor, or their representative interferes with the judges, committee members, or the show, the Fair Management may exclude the Exhibitor, Parent/Guardian, Family or Representative from participation in any or all events at the Fair for a period of time deemed appropriate for the offense. Management may withhold sale money or take any other steps deemed desirable. **All Judge's decisions are final.**

2009 JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SALE

Washington County 4-H & FFA exhibitors appreciate the moral and financial support that the merchants and individuals have contributed for their projects for the 140th Washington County Fair. The development of leadership and responsibility in the youth of today and leaders of tomorrow is achieved with the support of the buyers.

2009 Grand and Reserve Champion Buyers

Specie	Exhibitor	Purchased by
Grand Champion Barrow	Micah Harmel, Burton FFA	Carmine Feed & Fertilizer, Inc; Carmine State Bank; Four County Livestock Auction; Beryl & Sam Gibson; Greenvine Supporters; J&J Packing; Round Top Farm & Ranch, Inc; T&L Cattle Co.-Tim & Lori Weigelt; T&T Car Wash; Wendy & David Warner; Washington Animal Clinic, PLLC
Reserve Champion Barrow	Addyson Schroeder, Zionsville 4-H	J & J Packing
Grand Champion Carcass Hog	Wyatt Hohlt, Zionsville 4-H	South Central Texas Concrete, Inc.
Reserve Champion Carcass Hog	Alexandria Lehrmann, Washington 4-H	Big Daddy's BBQ; James Hanath Concrete Construction; JS Hinton & Assoc, Inc; Rocking P Cattle; South Central Texas Concrete, Inc
Grand Champion Colt	Kaitlyn McCulley, Trailblazers 4-H	Watts Way Arena
Reserve Champion Colt	Kelsey Draehn, Salem 4-H	Triple D Farm
Grand Champion Pen of Fryers	Cameron Draehn, Salem 4-H	Hueske Tree Farm
Reserve Champion Pen of Fryers	Keith Wisnieske, Bluebonnet 4-H	Metropolitan Water Company LP
Grand Champion Lamb	Haley Nutt, Zionsville 4-H	Bank of Brenham; David Hermann Electric Co, Inc; Pooltex American, Inc; Thielemann Construction Company
Reserve Champion Lamb	Faith Nutt, Zionsville 4-H	Metropolitan Water Company LP
Grand Champion Pen of Rabbits	Lexie Schaper, Gay Hill 4-H	Arnie & Zernicek, CPA; Citizens State Bank; HEB Grocery Store; KTEX/KWHI
Reserve Champion Pen of Rabbits	Ruth Anne Kettler, Sandy Hill 4-H	Metropolitan Water Company LP
Grand Champion Steer	Addie Schwartz, Sandy Hill 4-H	Metropolitan Water Company LP
Reserve Champion Steer	Riley Lucher, Burton 4-H	Carmine Feed & Fertilizer, Inc; Carmine State Bank; Chuck Brown Ford; Four County Livestock Auction; Beryl & Sam Gibson; Giddings Livestock Commission; Kieke Egg Farm; Lucher's Gravel; Washington Animal Clinic, PLLC; Washington County Fair Supporters
Grand Champion Turkey	Stefanie Wisnieske, Bluebonnet 4-H	Tegeler Toyota & Chevrolet
Reserve Champion Turkey	Anna Dusek, Salem 4-H	Appel Ford Mercury, Inc; Arnie & Zernicek, CPA; Citizens State Bank; HEB Grocery Store; KTEX/KWHI

Grand Champion Wether Goat	Kevin Weiss, Salem 4-H	J & J Packing
Reserve Champion Wether Goat	Caleb Mertz, Zionsville 4-H	J & J Packing
Grand Champion Pen of Heifers	Kelsey Schwartz, Brenham FFA	Parker Ranch
Reserve Champion Pen of Heifers	Bailey Kenjura, Salem 4-H	Cattleman's Brenham Livestock
Grand Champion Halter Heifer	McKenna Schulte, Sandy Hill 4-H	Schoenfeld Farms
Reserve Champion Halter Heifer	Reagan Randermann, Prairie Hill 4-H	Weiss Ranch
Grand Champion Pen of Steers	Haleigh Schulze, Zionsville 4-H	Lot 1 - Brazos Valley Feeders; Lot 2 – Washington County Water Wells
Reserve Champion Pen of Steers	Lucas Little, Salem 4-H	Lot 3 – Tom May; Lot 4 – Kevin Essner

2009 BUYERS

4 Mile Creek Ranch
 4K Ranch
 Action Services
 Adam Falk
 Agri-Con
 Ahrens Brothers
 AIR Enterprises
 AJ Cattle Co.
 AK & Mark Kasmiersky
 Alexander Oil Co
 AMMO TO GO
 Appel Auto Country
 Appel Ford Mercury Inc
 Arnie & Zernicek CPA
 Arnold Kasmiersky
 AZ Zettle
 Ballard & Fleetwood PLLC
 Bank of Brenham
 Bartay Cattle Company
 Ben Seeker
 Big Daddy's Barbecue
 Billie Koehl
 Billy Dean Koerth
 Billy Holle
 Bilski Water Well Service
 Birkelbach Construction, Inc

Jimmy & Michelle Kwiatkowski
 JK Livestock
 John Day Co.
 John Teufel
 Johnny Langston
 Joyce Boeker
 JS Hinton & Assoco. Inc
 Julie Tiemann
 K & H Portable Toilets, Inc.
 K & M Grocery
 Ken Pieper Electric
 Kenjura Tile Inc.
 Kenneth Seeker
 Kevin Essner
 Kevin Schulze
 Kieke Egg Farm
 Kim Mueller
 Kirk Hanath
 Koehl Show Goats
 Kohring Monument Co
 Korth & Linke Welding LLC
 Krenek Tractor, Inc.
 KTEX / KWHI
 Lacina & Kenjura P.C.
 LaMarr Quarter Horses
 LaRoche GM Dealerships

BK Auto	Larry Arnie
Blue Bell Creameries	Larry Eckermann
Borchardt Cattle Company	Larry Nickel
Botts Title Co	Larry Pape Construction
Brad Bell	Larry Tegeler
Brandt Oilfield Services	Larry Wilson
Brazos Valley Feeders	Lazy J
Bredthauer Ranch	Leon & Flo Schwartz
Brenham Abstract & Title Co	Leon Skrivanek
Brenham Carpet & Tile	Leonard Wellbrock
Brenham Heating & Air Conditioning Co	Lexington Livestock Auction
Brenham Iron Works	Lindemann Store
Brenham L-P Gas, Inc.	Little Mike's Bar
Brenham National Bank	Lone Star Mfg.
Brenham Olde Town Bakery	Lucherk's Gravel
Brenham Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine Assoc, LLP	Luedemann Mill
Brenham Party Rentals	Luther Hueske
Brenham Produce Co	M & M Farms
Brenham Repair Center	Marjorie Kunetka
Brenham Saddle Shop Inc.	Mark & Sherri Bentke
Brenham Veterinary Hospital	Mark Bilski
Brent Hargrave	Mark Marzahn
Brookshire Bros	Mark Monroe
Buchanan Locksmith Services	Mark Whipple
Burton Processing	Matt & Linda Kubeczka
Burton Sausage	Matt Waak
Burton State Bank	McCoy's Building Supply Center
Capital Farm Credit	Melvin Wisnieske
Carey Council	Metropolitan Water Company LP
Carey's Detail & Window Tint	MIC Group
Carmine Feed & Fertilizer, Inc.	Michael Thielemann Construction
Carmine State Bank	Mike Antokowiak
Casey Voskamp	Mike Hodges
Cattleman's Brenham Livestock Auction	Mike Hopkins Distributing Co., Inc.
Cattleman's Supply, Inc.	Moehlmann Construction
Cedar Hill Farm	Moeller Electric
Chappell Hill Exxon	Moffett Livestock
Chris Callahan	Naylor's Wood Floors
Chuck Brown Ford	Old Town Brenham Bakery
Citizens State Bank	Old Washington Supporters
Claudia Walla	Onis & Verlyn Finke
Clear Spring Ranch	Pape Scapes/Ryan Pape
Collier Construction, Inc.	Parker Ranch
Collier Farms	Partrick Klein
Columbus Livestock Auction	Paul Hightower

Cordell Enterprizes
Coufal Prater Equipment
Daniel & Rachel Schley
Dannhaus Farm
Dan's Meat Market
Darren & Cindy Schmidt
David & Wendy Warner
David Hermann Electric Co., Inc.
David Jones Clay
DDM Pipe & Steel
Dealers Electrical Supply
Diamond L Ranch
Diane Pieper
Dina Weiss
Dr. Don Dixon
Don Hilton
Donald Malinowski
Donald Moehlmann
Donna & AL Gomez
Donna & Ronald Mueller
Donnan Cattle Co
Double K Dozer
Double M Cattle
Doug & Patrice Sommerour
Doug Peck
Dr Cassandra Bryant, M.D.
Dr Henry & Teddy Boehm
Dr Mike & Sabrina Altman
Dr. Helen Philips
DRK Enterprises LLC
Dwight & Brandy Conway
EC Minssen Store
Eckermann's Meat Market
Elroy Maass
Elwood Hanath Steel Construction
Emma Jean Seeker
Emmett Enterprises
Ervin Meier
ETC Texas Pipeline, LTD
Eugene & Peggy Sefcik
Eugene Bothe
Evelyn Kruse
Farm Bureau Insurance
Felder's Wholesale
Fischer Tile and Floor Covering, Inc.

Paul Kaminski
Pierce Cattle Company
Pooltex American, Inc.
Positive Feed
Precision Lawn Management
Producers Co-op
Quality Cars Of Brenham
R&P Ranch
Rafter 3 Feedyard LTD
Rafter H Cattle Co.
Raley Distributing
Ranchers Meats
Rattler's Country Store #114
Rau's Meat Center
Ray Wellmann, Jr.
RHG Ranch
Richard Powell
Ricky Hendrickson
Ricky Kieke
Riverstone Ranch
Robert Reichwein
Robert's Service Station & Grocery LLC
Rocking P Cattle
Ronnie & Dotsy Luhn
Round Top Farm & Ranch Inc
Rudloff Brick & Tile
S&B Cattle
S.Williams, MD
Sam & Beryl Gibson
Sand Hill Farms
Saunders Distributing
Schonefeld Farms
Schovajsa Catering & Processing, Inc.
Schroeder Floors
Schulte Building Systems
Sealy Mattress Company
Seguin Cattle Co
Seilheimer Painting
Smith Country Farms
South Central Concrete Inc
South Texas Builders
South Texas Tack
Southern Star Trucking Inc
Stanley & Lisa Krebs
State Representative Lois W. Kolkhorst

Four County Livestock Auction
Friends Of Don Weaver
Gary & Stephanie Buchanan
Gerald Wehring
Germania Insurance Company
Giddings Livestock Commission
GKO Ranch
Glendale & Lisa Krebs
Glenwood Vierus
Green Door
Greenvine Supporters
H - T Trucking
H & H Ag Services
H & H Machine Service
H E B Grocery Store
HD Supply Electrical
Herman Breeding
Hodde & Hodde Land Surveying, Inc.
Hodde Land & Cattle Co
Hoppens Herefords
Hueske Tree Farm
Independence Builders
Industrial Rig Lights Inc
J & A Roofing
J & J Packing
J&B Storage
J2 Farms
Jack & Betty Schramm
JAK Cattle
Jake Fischer
James Hanath Concrete Construction
James Koterak
James Nix
Januszewski Lawn Service
Jason Wendler
Jerry & Carolyn Warmke
Jerry Merten
Jimmie Hahn Concrete Inc.
Jimmie Hahn Ready Mix

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T & L Cattle Co - Tom & Lori Weigelt
T&T Car Wash
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Teddy Boehm
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Texas Plumbing
The Hightower Family
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Thrivent Financial - Marvin Spreen
Thrivent Financial for Lutherans
Tiemann Cattle Co
Tom May
Tool Tech/Paul Galow
Total Storage
Triple D Farm
Triple K Cattle
Triple S Ranch
Triple T Refrigeration
Valmont Industries Inc
Vernon Wellmann
Victor Bartkowiak
Vivian Meleski
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Walmart
Washington Animal Clinic, PLLC
Washington County Fair Supporters
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Washington County Tractor, Inc.
Washington County Water Wells
Watts Way Arena
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Weiss Ranch
Wellmann Cattle Co
Wichita Ranch
Willie E Hall Construction
Windy Valley Farms
Wright Distributing
Wunderlich Farms
Yeague Property

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK DIVISION

The purpose of the Washington County Fair Junior Livestock Division is the development of animal and poultry husbandry, character, leadership, and responsibility of 4-H and FFA members through participation in the Junior Livestock Shows and Sales

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Marcus Broesche

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Marshall Conarroe

Darrell Kieke

Ricky Kieke

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Tommy Lange

Gary Marburger

Kim Wayne Mueller

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Larry Pape

James Stolz

Mark Surovik

Curtis Vader

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2010 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

January 17	Rabbit Educational Program
January 19	Calf Scramble meeting. Scramblers and heifers must be present.
January 20	Sales Committee – Introduce committee members and adoption of rules
February 1	Lamb Program
February 16	Wether Goat Program
February 21	Commercial Heifer Entry Deadline & Entry Fees Due
February 21	Turkey Orders & Entry Fees Due. Turkey & Broiler Program.
February 23	Colt meeting and program
February 28	Commercial Steer Orientation
March 21	Rabbit Educational Program
March 20	Colt workout.
March 24	Initial Steer Weigh-in & Entry Fees Due
March 27	Commercial Heifer Tag - In at Brenham Auction Barn
April 8	Calf Scramble Mandatory Meeting
April 10	Commercial Steer Weigh-in at Brenham Livestock Auction
April 18	Lamb Program
April 24	Colt workout
April 24	Wether Goat Program on selection/feeding/housing/clipping/management review
April 25	Barrow & Carcass Hog Programs
May 12	Steer Weigh - In & Feeding & Health Program
May 12	Broiler Orders & Entry Fees Due
May 16	Rabbit Educational Program & Show
June 1	Must Own Breeding Stock for Bred & Owned Rabbits
June 1	Lamb Weigh-in/Tag-in & Entry Fees Due
June 1	Wether Goat Weigh - In/Tag - In & Entry Fees Due
June 2	Breeding Date for JLA Rabbits
June 7	Carcass Hog Weigh - In & Entry Fees Due
June 9	Steer Showmanship & Grooming
June 9	Turkey Pick-up
June 10	Barrow Tag - In & Entry Fees Due
June 13	Barrow & Carcass Hog Program
June 19	Colt workout
June 20	Commercial Steer Point Money Meeting

July 8	Broiler/Turkey Program
July 11	Wether Goat Program
July 24	Colt workout
July 25	Commercial Steer Record Book Meeting
August 1	Commercial Heifer Showmanship & Record Book Clinic
August 5	Broiler Pick-up
August 8	Lamb Program
August 8	Rabbit Entry Fees Due, Program & Tag - In. Ownership deadline for showing in purchased class
August 15	Steer Pre-Showmanship Contest & Final Weigh - In
August 21	Final colt workout
August 22	Broiler/Turkey Program and Selection
August 29	Commercial Heifer Showmanship & Record Book Clinic
September 2	Commercial Heifer Palpation. Washington Animal Clinic & Brenham Vet Hospital.
September 10	Commercial Pen Heifer Record Books Due
September 11	Commercial Steer Weigh – In at Brenham Livestock Auction
September 12	Carcass Hog Live Evaluation
September 13	Calf Scramblers Scrapbook and Essay Due
September 14	Commercial Steer Record Books Due
September 17	Calf Scramble Entry Fee Due in fair office

Sunday, September 12

- 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Carcass Hog Weigh-In
7:00 p.m. Carcass Hog Live Evaluation

Tuesday, September 14

- 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Commercial Steer Record Books due & steers checked in at fairgrounds
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Commercial Heifer Check-in
2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Barrow Weigh-in
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Steer Weigh-in
7:00 p.m. Lambs must be in barn
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Wether Goat Weigh-in
7:00 p.m. - 7:45 p.m. Lamb Weigh-in

Wednesday, September 15

- 7:00 a.m.-7:30 a.m. Rabbit Sift followed by Jr. Rabbit Show
Single Fryer & Breeding Rabbit Shows
Colts Due at Fairgrounds
7:00 a.m. Broiler /Turkey sift
8:00 a.m. Broiler/Turkey Show
8:00 a.m. Barrow Show
9:00 a.m. Commercial Pen Heifer Show
9:00 a.m. Commercial Steer Grading
11:00 a.m. Commercial Steer Test, Interviews to follow Test.
1:00 p.m. Lamb Show
1:00 p.m. Colt Show
3:00 p.m. Wether Goat Show
4:00 p.m. Steer Show

Thursday, September 16

- 8:00 a.m. Commercial Halter Heifer Show
2:00 p.m. Junior Livestock Sale

Friday, September 17

5:30 p.m. Commercial Steer Awards and Sale

6:30 p.m. Commercial Heifer Awards

7:00 p.m. Commercial Heifer Sale

Saturday, September 18 Release Times

10:00 p.m. - Midnight Rabbits, non-sale

10:00 p.m. - Midnight Broilers and Turkeys

Sunday, September 19 - Release Times:

7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. Broilers and Turkeys

7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Wether Goats

7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Barrows

8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. Colts

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Lambs

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Rabbits, non-sale

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Steers

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Commercial Heifers

8:00 a.m.- 12:00 noon Commercial Steers

September 28, 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. Processed rabbits must be picked up

September 29 Processed rabbits delivered to buyers.

JUNIOR BARROW SHOW

Chair: Larry Pape Vice-Chair: Darrell Kieke

Committee: Dwayne Brauner, Mark Buck, Gayle Engeling, Lance Engeling, Kevin Finke, Paul Hightower, JoDell Hodde, Sam Hodde, Bill Hohlt, Paul Kaminski, Jerome Kmiec, Randall Kohring, Jimmy Kwiatkowski, Donna Kunkel, Brian Lorenz, Charlie Majewski, Kim Wayne Mueller, Barbara Goldberg Schoenemann, Robert Tappe, Jerry Joe Vaughn, Zach Wagner, James Wehmeyer

Judging: Wednesday, September 15, 8:00 a.m. Judge: Kelton Mason

1. All barrow entries are subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division rules except where they conflict with the rules of this show, in which case, the Show Rules prevail.

2. Only barrows are eligible and must be identified by Washington County Fair Association ear tags, and be on feed and ear tagged on June 10 from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.

Exhibitor may tag in three (3) barrows, or a family may tag three (3) barrows per exhibitor. They do not need to specify which barrow belongs to which exhibitor at tag-in. All barrows must be tagged at the fairgrounds and will remain on trailers for ear tagging. If barrow loses an ear tag, exhibitor must notify the Fair Office within seven days.

3. Each exhibitor can enter only one (1) barrow in the show. The barrow must be specified to an exhibitor before they are weighed in at the show and will not be changed under any circumstances.

4. Tentative dates have been set for two educational programs. Exhibitors must attend at least one of these programs to be eligible to participate in the Junior Barrow Show. Tentative dates are: April 25- 7:00 P.M., and June 13 - 7:00 P.M.

(Exhibitors will be required to sign in and out at all programs). Anyone arriving at programs later than 10 minutes after scheduled starting time will be marked absent.

5. Barrows must weigh between 220 - 270 lbs., and will be given a 4 lb. margin.

6. Barrows must be in the barn, Tuesday, September 14 by 5:00 pm. Barrows will be weighed from 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 as they arrive. Barrows will be weighed only one time. Over/under weight barrows will be re-weighed immediately. An exhibitor may weigh a 2nd barrow if their first one weighs out light or heavy and if they can have it in the barn by 5:00 pm. Barrows must have ear tags before leaving trailer.

7. Barrows will be shown in one division regardless of breed. Classes will be divided as equitably as possible as determined by the committee prior to judging.

8. No oil, paint, powder or other dressing will be permitted on barrows. Only water will be allowed. Clipping will not be permitted on the fairgrounds.

9. Classes:

1 to 5) Market Barrow 220 to 270 lbs.

6) Grand Champion Barrow (banner)

Buckle compliments of: Engeling Show Pigs

7) Reserve Champion Barrow (banner)

Buckle compliment of: Burton FFA

8) Junior Showmanship (3rd grade to 10 yrs. old on show day) 1st to 5th place

1st place buckle compliments of: Brookshire Brothers

2nd place buckle compliments of: Russell Seeker Family in memory of Edwin Seeker, Sr.

9) Intermediate Showmanship (ages 11 to 13 yrs. on show day) 1st to 5th place

1st place buckle compliments of: Dwayne & Tammy Brauner

2nd place buckle compliments of: James & Sharon Wehmeyer

10) Senior Showmanship (ages 14 & over on show day) 1st to 5th place

1st place buckle compliments of: Darrell & Katie Kieke in memory of William Tappe

2nd place buckle compliments of: Washington County Extension Swine Task Force Committee

10. Pens must be kept clean at all times.

11. Non-sale barrows will be released Sunday, September 19 from 7:00 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. by the committee members. Barrows must be signed for before being released.

JUNIOR CARCASS HOG SHOW

Chair: Kim Wayne Mueller Vice-Chair: Mark Buck

Committee: Dwayne Brauner, Gayle Engeling, Lance Engeling, Kevin Finke, Paul Hightower, JoDell Hodde, Sam Hodde, Bill Hohlt, Paul Kaminski, Darrell Kieke, Jerome Kmiec, Randall Kohring, Jimmy Kwiatkowski, Donna Kunkel, Brian Lorenz, Charlie Majewski, Larry Pape, Barbara Schoenemann, Robert Tappe, Jerry Joe Vaughn, Zach Wagner, James Wehmeyer, Alan Winkelmann

1. Carcass Hog entries will be subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division Rules except where they conflict with the rules of the show, in which case the Show rules will prevail.
2. Barrows and gilts (No boars. Must be barrows before arrival at weigh-in.) are eligible and must be identified by Washington County Fair Association ear tags.
3. Tentative dates have been set for two educational programs. Exhibitors must attend at least one of these programs to be eligible to show in the Junior Carcass Show.

The dates are: **April 25, 7:00 p.m. and June 13, 7:00 P.M.** (Exhibitors will be required to sign in and out at all programs). Anyone arriving at programs later than 7:10 p.m. will be marked absent.

4. Exhibitor may tag in two (2) hogs or a family may tag-in two (2) hogs per exhibitor. They do not need to specify which hog belongs to which exhibitor at tag-in. Each exhibitor can enter only one (1) hog in the carcass hog show. The hogs must be specified to an exhibitor before they are weighed in at the Show and will not be changed under any circumstance. Carcass Hogs will be ear tagged and weighed on June 7 and must arrive between 6:30 & 7:30 p.m. Hogs must be at the fairgrounds for tagging/weighing. No Exceptions. Exhibitors will be required to bring two feed pans for feed and water. Feed will be furnished and the committee will feed and water hogs in the 30 minute feeding period prior to weigh-in. Only committee members will be allowed in the pen area during the 30 minute feeding period.
5. All hogs must be clean upon arrival at both weigh-ins. There will be no washing of hogs on the fairgrounds. Carcass hogs should not be clipped.
6. No Carcass Hogs will be tagged that weigh more than 65 lbs.
7. To be eligible for prizes Carcass Hogs:
 - a) must gain at least 1.70 lbs. per day on test (June 7 - September 12)
 - b) Must have a soundness score of 2 or better
 - c) Carcass adjusted to 230 lbs. live weight basis, have an average back-fat of 1.5 in. or less; have a minimum of 4.50 sq. in. of loin muscle area, and yield a desirable quality carcass
 - d) Disqualified Carcass Hogs are ineligible for the Junior Livestock Sale
8. Any exhibitor whose carcass hog does not meet weight gain requirements may weigh their 2nd carcass hog, if they have a 2nd carcass hog. However, if 1st carcass hog meets weight

requirement, 2nd carcass hog will not be weighed. The official scale will not be used for practice weighing prior to the official weigh-in.

9. Final placing of carcass hogs will be based on lean gain/day on test.

10. Carcass Hogs will be weighed September 12, 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.; slaughtered September 13; carcass information collected on September 14.

11. Placing will be announced immediately following the Barrow Show, September 15.

12. Ribbons will be given 1st thru 29th place.

Grand Champion Carcass Hog (banner)

Buckle compliments of: Jerry Vaughn Family

Reserve Champion Carcass Hog (banner)

Buckle compliments of: Kim Wayne Mueller Family

13. There will be a \$50.00 slaughter/delivery fee on all carcass hogs sold in the Jr. Livestock Sale.

14. All unsold Carcass Hogs will remain the property of the exhibitor. No third party sales are acceptable.

JUNIOR COLT SHOW

Chair: Charles LaMarr

Vice-Chair: Sam Schulze

Committee: Laura Beckworth, Ty Born, Shon Callahan, Paul Ferguson, Kim LaMarr, Linda Levis, Alan Norton, David Ottmer, Kris Ottmer, Dr. Helen Phillips, Doyle Reeves, and Monica Reeves

Judging: Wednesday, September 15, 1:00 p.m.

Judge: Dave Golden

1. All colt entries are subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division Rules, except where they conflict with the rules of the Show, in which case the Show rules prevail. Any exhibitor not complying with Washington County Fair Colt rules will be removed from the Washington County Fair Colt Program immediately.
2. Any permanent registered breed that does not have a height limit may be exhibited in the sale division, either filly or gelding. All stud colts must be gelded by April 24, 2010. If not attending April 24th workout, exhibitor must have verification of gelding from veterinarian to chairperson and shot records.
 - 2a) Colts must have two rounds of vaccinations on or before the April 24th workout.
 - 2b) Colts requiring HYPP tests with results of N/N will only be allowed to be shown. Lab test results due to committee chairman by the June 19th workout.
 - 2c) Colts must have current Coggins and health papers presented to committee prior to the colt show.
3. All colts must be foaled between January 1, 2009 and December 31, 2009. Exhibitors must possess a breeder's certificate or a photocopy of colt's papers, with transfer form showing the name and registration number of the colt's sire and dam plus the breeder's name. The above mentioned papers are to be presented at the workout on March 20th.
4. Exhibitor must independently own colt at workout on April 24, 2010 and continue to own colt throughout the feeding period. Exhibitor must feed, care for and exhibit colt entered without any aid or assistance other than their immediate family, County Extension Agents, Ag-Science Teachers, 4-H Adult Club Managers, fellow Colt Exhibitors and/or their parents or guardians, and Colt Committee Members. Violations will cause the exhibitor to forfeit the right to show in the Junior Colt Division. Colt Chairperson or designated committee member will make scheduled visits to Exhibitor's home.
5. a) All exhibitors and their colts must attend 50% of workouts. **Attendance at orientation is considered one.** If not in attendance at workout and if verification reports are due, then the exhibitor must deliver to Chairperson on/or before that date.
 - b) Meetings and workouts will be held on the following dates:

February 23

Meeting and program

March 20

Workout & Verification of breeder's certificate

April 24	Work Out, Educational Program & Verification of Colt Registration Papers transferred into Exhibitor's name.
June 19	Workout and Educational Program.
July 24	Workout and Educational Program.
August 21	Final Workout and Educational Program.
September 15	Colts are due at fairgrounds at 7:00 a.m; Colt show at 1:00 p.m.

6. All exhibitors are required to show in their age division Showmanship class.

7. All exhibitors are required to have original papers in their name by April 24th. A photo copy should be given to the chairperson at April 24th workout.

8. a) During the Fair all horses are subject to blood, urine, or saliva test and evaluation by a veterinarian and supervised by committee chairman or committee member. Any horse requiring medical attention during the Fair must notify committee chairman before being administered by veterinarian.

b) All horses must be shown free of prohibited substances (medication) in accordance with AQHA rule 441-H, and abide by the Washington County Fair Code of Show Ring Ethics or forfeit sales check, all other awards and may not be permitted to exhibit a colt throughout their 4-H or FFA tenure.

9. All exhibitors must be properly attired for the workouts, the show and the sale.

10. Classes & Awards: Ribbons awarded 1st to 6th place in classes , 1, 2, 5 & 6.

Fillies - Buckle compliments of
\$60.00 - Compliments of La Marr Cutting Horses

Geldings - Buckle compliments of
\$60.00 - Compliments of La Marr Cutting Horses

Grand Champion Colt (banner)
Buckle compliments of South Texas Tack
\$100.00 compliments of Houston Unlimited, Inc.
Halter compliments of Michael & Patti Wooten

Reserve Champion Colt (banner)
Buckle compliments of Colwell's Aggieldand Chem Dry
\$50.00 compliments of
Halter compliments of Michael & Patti Wooten

Junior Showmanship (9-13 years old)
Buckle compliments of
1st place - \$100.00 compliments of Washington Animal Clinic
2nd place - \$50.00 compliments of Webb Creek Acres
3rd place - \$25.00 compliments of Shon & Delaina Callahan – 4C Ranch

Senior Showmanship (14 to 18 years old)

Buckle compliments of H&H Towing and Recovery Services

1st place - \$100.00 compliments of Shon & Delaina Callahan – 4C Ranch

2nd place - \$50.00 compliments of

3rd place - \$25.00 compliments of

Trophies awarded to each exhibitor

Trophies compliments of Houston Unlimited, Inc.

11. Colts will be released Sunday, September 19, from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. by the committee. All exhibitors will continue to feed and care for their colts until colt is delivered to the buyer or taken home by exhibitor. Exhibitor is responsible for providing a good halter and lead rope to their buyer. If a halter is not provided the cost of purchasing a halter (\$25.00) will be withheld from the exhibitor's check. The exhibitor must set a time with the buyer for delivery of their purchase.

JUNIOR BROILER SHOW

Chair: Curtis Vader

Committee: Mark Buck, David Dreyer, Dustin Dreyer, Kenneth Dreyer, Michael Ganske, J.T. Gaskamp, Randy Gaskamp, Rickey Gaskamp, Diane Glenz, Darla Hamff, Lenny Krause, Chelsea Lange, Tommy Lange, Dr. Keith Mahlmann, Gary Noerenberg, Sherry Randermann, Troy Schroeder, Dr. Garral Tiaden, Cabin Warmke, Allen Wickel

Sifting and Judging: Wednesday September 15, 7:00 a.m. Judge: Phillip Koehler

1. All broiler entries are subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division Rules, except where they conflict with the rules of the Show, in which case the Show rules prevail.

2. Broiler exhibitors must start project in exhibitor's name when project is started.

a) All broilers must be ordered through the Fair Office

b) Exhibitor's must order fifty (50) fryers

c) Broilers will be wing banded, number to be assigned alphabetically (A 1- 50) etc.

d) Entry is one pen of three birds bearing official Washington County Fair wing bands which are assigned to exhibitor

e) Broilers losing their wing bands cannot show. If wing band and/or wing web shows evidence of tampering or if wing web is torn in any way the bird will be disqualified

f) All broiler wing bands will be checked when they are brought to the sifting line and are subject to being checked anytime during the Fair

3. All exhibitors must attend two of the three educational programs set by the committee to be eligible to show at the Fair. Programs will be held as follows:

February 21 Broiler/Turkey program

May 12 Broiler Entry Fees & Orders Due

July 8 Broiler/Turkey program

August 5 Broiler pick up

August 22 Selection of Broilers & Turkeys

4. Broilers will be sifted Wednesday, September 15, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. Judging to follow. Exhibitor may bring two spare broilers to the sifting line. If birds are sifted by the judge(s), the decision will be confirmed by the committee chairperson. Once birds pass the sift, they will be placed in their pen. **NO exchange or removal will be permitted.** Substitutions in case of death will be subject to committee approval.

5. Fire ant bites are considered to be a defect and birds will be sifted.

6. All containers in which broilers are brought must have exhibitor's name on them. Any container left after the sift may disqualify exhibitor from the show.

7. All exhibitors must be present to hold their birds at the judging. If participating in another show the exhibitor should make arrangements for someone else to show birds with the approval of committee chairperson or designated committee member.

8. Awards: Ribbons will be given 1st through 10th place.

Grand Champion Pen of Broilers (banner)

Buckle compliments of Cattleman's Supply

Reserve Champion Pen of Broilers (banner)

Buckle compliments of K & M Grocery

9. Each exhibitor will be responsible for the following:

a) Feeding and caring of their birds during the Fair, no moist feeding after judging begins (feed to be furnished by exhibitor)

b) Proper maintenance of their birds' pen throughout the Fair

c) Bring two (2) 1 lb. coffee cans with hole punched at top and wire for each can

d) Cleaning and dressing all birds that are sold in the Junior Livestock Sale. Exhibitor will be responsible to deliver dressed birds to their buyer. There will be a 25% deduction from Sale Price for failure to deliver dressed birds by October 15. The amount of that penalty will be forwarded to the Washington County Fair Scholarship Fund.

Absolutely no switching of birds.

10. Broilers will be released Saturday, September 18th from 10:00 p.m. – Midnight and Sunday, September 19th from 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.

11. Remove dead broilers from pen and take home. Do not put in trash barrels.

12. Small personal electric fans WILL NOT be allowed.

JUNIOR LAMB SHOW

Chair: Ricky Kieke Vice-Chair: Gary Marburger

Committee: Donald Bednar, Paul Buro, James Gross, Angie Fritsch, Megan Klussmann, Wayne Klussmann, Pamela Plagens, Terry Wunderlich, Jamie Williams

Judging: Wednesday, September 15, 1:00 pm

Judge: Dr. Shawn Ramsey

1. All lamb entries are subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division Rules, except where they conflict with the rules of the Show, in which case the Show rules prevail.
2. Lambs will be ear tagged, tattooed, and weighed June 1, 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
 - a) Ram lambs must be castrated before June 1, or they will not be ear tagged
 - b) Exhibitor may tag in three lambs or a family may tag three lambs per exhibitor. They do not need to specify which lamb(s) belong to which exhibitor at tag-in. Each exhibitor can enter only one lamb in the show. Lambs must be specified to an exhibitor before they are weighed in at the show and will not be changed under any circumstances.
3. Exhibitor must attend one (1) of the three (3) educational programs to be eligible to show in the Junior Lamb Show. Tentative dates are: February 1, April 18 and August 8. (June 1 – Tag In is **NOT** considered an Educational Meeting.)
4. All lambs must be in the barn by 7:00 p.m. Lambs will be weighed Tuesday, September 14 beginning at 7:00 p.m. All lambs must be in the weighing line no later than 7:30 p.m.
5. Lambs must meet the following criteria.
 - a) Must have milk teeth (central incisors)
 - b) Shorn, from nose to knee, and clean upon arrival.
 - c) Clipping will not be allowed on fairgrounds.
 - d) Must weigh a minimum of 75 lbs. and not exceed 150 lbs. A 1 lb. tolerance will be allowed. All over or under weight lambs will be re-weighed immediately. If a lamb should weigh out, exhibitor may weigh-in another lamb, but must do so by 7:30 p.m. All disqualified lambs that do not meet the requirements must leave the fairgrounds by 10:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 14.
 - e) All covers, halters, ear tags, (except Washington County Fair ear tags and the Texas Animal Health Commission/ USDA scrapie ear tags) or any other item containing any form of identification must be removed prior to the September 14 weigh-in and continue throughout the Fair.
 - f) Lambs must be stalled and remain in their assigned pens.
6. Lambs will be divided into four equal weight classes. Classes are as follows:
 - 1) Light 2) Light Medium 3) Medium 4) Heavy

7. Awards:

- Grand Champion Lamb (banner)
Buckle compliments of Kieke Egg Farm L.L.C.
- Reserve Champion Lamb (banner)
Buckle compliments of Gayle & Donald Bednar
- First place light weight Lamb
Buckle compliments of James Gross
- First place light medium weight lamb
Buckle compliments of Mitschke Drywall, Lucherk's Services, Muegge Plumbing,
Donnie & Mary Johnson, Mark & Shannan Marburger, and Gary, Rocksann &
Clinton Marburger.
- First place medium weight lamb
Buckle compliments of Fayetteville Propane
- First place heavy weight lamb
Buckle compliment of the Green Door
- First place Junior Showmanship (3rd grade to 10 yrs old on show day)
Buckle compliments of Mitschke Drywall, Lucherk's Svcs., Muegge Plumbing.
Donnie & Mary Johnson, Mark & Shanan Marburger, and Gary, Rocksann &
Clinton Marburger.
- Second place Junior Showmanship (3rd grade to 10 yrs old on show day)
Buckle compliments of Cattleman's Supply, Inc.
- First place Intermediate Showmanship (ages 11 to 13 yrs old on show day)
Buckle compliments of Hi-Way Equipment
- Second place Intermediate Showmanship (ages 11 to 13 yrs old on show day)
Buckle compliments of Mitschke Drywall, Lucherk's Svcs., Muegge Plumbing,
Donnie & Mary Johnson, Mark & Shannan Marburger, and Gary, Rocksann &
Clinton Marburger.
- First place Senior Showmanship (ages 14 and older on show day)
Buckle compliments of Herbert Klatte Jr. Dozer Service

- Second place Senior Showmanship (ages 14 and older on show day)

Buckle compliments of G & G Electrical Services

8. The removal of lambs sold in the Junior Livestock Sale will only be conducted by the lamb committee members.

9. All non-sale lambs are the responsibility of the exhibitor. Non-sale lambs will be released Sunday, September 19 from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

JUNIOR RABBIT SHOW

Chair: Rodney Williams Vice Chair: Mark Kunkel

Committee: Alan Beckendorf, Sheila Beckendorf, Pat Braun, Ronnie Haevischer, Sheila Hagemann, Vincent Hensen, Diane Juarez, Dan Jurden, Diana Kohring, Dedra Kolkhorst, Mark Lehmann, Robert Lehmann, Tracy Lehmann, Chris McCain, Rebecca Mertz, Marvin Spreen, Daniel Wagner, Debra Wagner

Judging: September 15 following 7:00 a.m. sift Judge: Robert "Bob" Sorrels

1. Rabbit entries are subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division rules, except where they conflict with the rules of this show, in which case, the show rules prevail.
2. In order to participate in the show, rabbit exhibitors must attend two (2) of the four (4) educational programs set by the committee.

Jan. 17 - Educational Meeting

Mar. 21 - Educational Meeting

May 16 - Educational Meeting

Aug. 8 - Educational Meeting**

****At the Aug. 8 meeting Meat Pen Stock will be validated. It is mandatory that all rabbits be tagged at this meeting.**

3. Meat pen rabbits must be raised from pedigreed stock of the same breed.
4. Breeding and ownership dates for meat pens are as follows:

June 1 - Deadline for owning breeding stock if shown in Bred & Owned Class

June 2 - Breeding date for 2010 Washington County Fair

August 8 - Ownership deadline for rabbits shown in Purchased Class

5. MEAT CLASSES:

- a) All ARBA disqualifications and eliminations and those printed herein apply to each meat pen. Exceptions: Body smut of Californian (Himalayan marked) animals. Non-descended testicle(s) on bucks
 - b) All ARBA general faults printed herein apply to each pen. Meat pens will consist of three rabbits (all the same breed and variety)
 - c) Pens will be eliminated if more than one breed or variety is in the same pen. It is not necessary that rabbits be from the same litter, with age limit not over 75 days
 - d) Weight Limits: Rabbits cannot weigh over 2 3/4 pounds at time of tag-in and not over 5 pounds at sift. Rabbits must be weighed in the presence of the judge/committee.
6. Exhibitor cannot validate more than 15 rabbits or a family cannot validate more than 15 rabbits per exhibitor. Exhibitors of a family do not need to specify which rabbits belong to which exhibitor at validation.

7. Exhibitor is limited to one pen of three rabbits, either sex. Exhibitor may bring three extra rabbits at time of sifting and may substitute for any disqualified rabbit or use these to substitute for the entire pen of three.

8. Rabbits will be sifted Wednesday, September 15, 7:00 a.m. by ARBA show judge, registrar or committee designee. Rabbit entries must be signed in by 7:30 a.m.

9. Rabbit entries will be brought to and from the show table by the exhibitor or any youth in good standing with 4-H/FFA.

10. Rabbits will be judged in two (2) classes. Grand and Reserve Champion Pens will be selected from the top two pens in each class.

Class 1: Bred & Owned – In this class, you must own your breeding does year around and take care of them year around. You are allowed to have your does bred by another person's buck. Any new breeding stock must be owned by the deadline for this Class. You may also keep your breeding stock at another location if approved by the Committee or Committee designee, provided they are under the exhibitor's care.

Class 2: Purchased – In this division, you must purchase and take possession of any stock you plan to show in this division and must be done by the deadline for this Class as printed in the fair catalog annually. You are not required to keep this stock year around.

11. Awards: Ribbons awarded 1st through 10th place in each class.

Grand Champion Pen of Rabbits (banner)

Buckle compliments of Triangle Z Rabbitry - Aubrey & Bev Jaster

Reserve Champion Pen of Rabbits (banner)

Buckle compliments of Brenham Financial Services -Rodney D. Williams, LUTCF

12. Allocation of sale lots for Junior Livestock Sale:

a) Bred & Owned Class will receive 65% of the eligible sale lots

b) Purchased Class will receive 35% of the eligible sale lots. If all sale lots allotted to a class are not used by that class, the remaining sale lots will be added to the other class.

13. Exhibitor is responsible for feeding, watering and caring for their rabbits during the Fair. Exhibitor must furnish their own feed. There will be no containers of feed in or on top of cages. (Waterers/feeders will be furnished by the Fair Association). A cleanup committee will be responsible for cleaning rabbit area, although each exhibitor is responsible for the cage area in which their rabbits are.

14. All non-sale rabbits will be released Saturday, September 18, 10:00 p.m. - Midnight and Sunday, September 19, 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Rabbits must be signed out with a committee member prior to leaving the fairgrounds. Rabbits still in pens after 9:00 a.m. will be donated to the Fair.

15. Rabbits sold in the Junior Livestock Sale will be dressed under the direction of the Rabbit Committee. Exhibitor must pick up rabbits from the Fairgrounds Monday, September 27, 5:00 to 5:45 pm. Delivery to buyer must be made by Tuesday, September 28.

JUNIOR STEER SHOW

Chairperson: Wade Tiemann Vice Chair: Cody Schulze

Committee: Brian Adams, Linda Bilski, Mark Bilski, Doug Crider, Robbie Derkowski, Tyler Gandy, Kevin Goessler, Coty Hinze, Tommie Januszewski, , Donald Moehlmann, Nancy Reynolds, Ryan Schroeder, , Kevin Schulze, Julie Tiemann, , Leonard Wellbrock, Debbie Wellmann

Judging: Wednesday, September 15, 4:00 p.m. Judge: Ryan Rathman

1. All steer entries will be subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division Rules, except where they conflict with the rules of the show, in which case, the show rules will prevail.

2. Exhibitor may tag in three (3) steers, or a family may tag three (3) steers per exhibitor. There must be a minimum of one (1) steer per exhibitor in a family tag-in. Exhibitor may enter only one (1) steer in the show. In a family tag-in, a steer must be specified to an exhibitor before it crosses the weigh scale at the weigh-in, Tuesday, September 14 from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

3. There will be two steer divisions: a) American (shows Brahman influence)
b) European (purebred or cross bred of all other breed influences)

4. Initial weigh-in for all steers will be Wednesday, March 24, 6:00 to 7:00 PM at the fairgrounds. Out of county officials will classify steers one time.

5. Steers will be weighed, ear tagged, nose printed, and photographed. If ear tag is lost during the feeding period, the steer will be re-nose printed and given a new ear tag. If nose print does not match the initial nose print, the steer will be disqualified.

6. Steers cannot be added or switched after the initial weigh-in date.

7. All exhibitors and steer(s) must attend one (1) weigh-in/program, and the last weigh - in/program (August 15) to be eligible to show at the Fair. There will also be two educational programs:

March 24 Initial Weigh-in & Orientation

May 12 Feeding & Health

June 9 Showmanship & Grooming

Aug. 15 Pre-showmanship Contest & Final Weigh - In at 4:00 p.m.

First three weigh-ins to be held 6:00 to 7:00 P.M. Program to follow at 7:00 P.M.

8. Steers that weigh under the minimum of 1,000 lbs. and over the maximum of 1, 500 lbs. will be removed from the scale, scale balanced, and the steer will be immediately re-weighed one time. Steers not making the weight requirements must be removed from the grounds Tuesday, September 14. Steers making the required weight must be shown unless a steer is deemed unruly by the committee. All decisions and weights will be final.

9. Steers will be divided equitably into classes according to weights. If twelve or more steers are weighed into a division Tuesday, September 14, there will be a middle weight class added to that division.

10. Steers must be clipped to have no more than $\frac{1}{4}$ inch of hair on any part of the steer's body upon arrival at the fairgrounds. The only exception will be the tail switch. The switch may be ratted and balled or bobbed off. Steers will be checked at the time of weigh-in for conformity of the $\frac{1}{4}$ inch or less of hair. No clipping on the steers (electrical or manual) will be allowed once the steers are on the fairgrounds. Steers found in violation of this rule will be eliminated from the competition and removed from the grounds.

11. The showing of unethically fitted livestock is prohibited. Unethical fitting means any physical or physiological attempt to alter the natural configuration, musculature, or weight of an animal by use of injections or ingested materials not conducive to the continued health of the animal or marketability of its carcass. No change in the major color pattern of an animal by painting or dyeing will be allowed.

12. The act of artificially filling animals internally, which would include stomach pumping drench tubes, or any other method (per as by esophagus) is prohibited.

13. There will be 5% weigh back. After the judging of each class is completed, all 1st and 2nd placing steers will be weighed immediately after leaving the arena (3rd place steers will be weighed only if the 1st or 2nd place steer weighs out). Any steer weighing more than 5% of the show weight will be disqualified. Qualified steers after the weigh back will advance in placing if the steer(s) previously placed higher has been disqualified. Only the exhibitor or immediate family member may lead a steer to the scale.

14. The following show barn rules must be followed:

*Stalls, aisles, feed and tack areas must be kept clean at all times.

*Trimming chutes, feed and tack will be allowed in areas designated by steer committee.

*No box fans or port-a-cool fans.

*Steers must remain in their assigned stalls at all times.

*Electrical cords in the aisles must be buried for safety.

15. Show Order, Classes & Awards: Ribbons will be awarded 1st thru 4th place and participant ribbons to all non-premium placings:

A. Light Weight American

B. Middle Weight American (if numbers permit at show weigh-in)

C. Heavy Weight American

1. Champion American - Plaque

2. Reserve Champion American - Plaque

D. Light Weight European

E. Middle Weight European (if numbers permit at show weigh-in)

F. Heavy Weight European

1. Champion European - Plaque

2. Reserve Champion European - Plaque

Plaques compliments of Muegge Plumbing Co., Michael & Vicky Muegge

G. Grand Champion Steer (banner)

Buckle compliments of Washington County Cattlewomen

H. Reserve Champion Steer (banner)

Buckle compliments of Barker Photography

I. Showmanship (will be conducted during the show)

1. Rookie Showmanship (1st time show exhibitor)

Buckle compliments of Equipment Support Services

2. Junior Showmanship, ages 9 to 13 years on show day

Buckle compliments of Cattlemen's Supply.

3. Senior Showmanship, ages 14 and over on show day

Buckle compliments of Cattlemen's Supply.

J. 1st Best Gaining Steer (March 24 to September 14)

Buckle compliments of Coufal Prater Country Store

K. 2nd Best Gaining Steer (March 24 to September 14)

Buckle compliments of Coufal Prater Country Store

L. Herdmanship: Wednesday, September 15 thru Saturday, September 18

1st Place - \$75.00 – Compliments of Ashley Gaskamp and Nick Goldberg

2nd Place - \$50.00 – Compliments of Ashley Gaskamp and Nick Goldberg

3rd Place - \$25.00 – Compliments of Carol and Troy Seeker

16. In order to comply with the state law on beef check-off, \$1.00 will be deducted from the sale price of each steer.

17. Steers will be released Sunday, September 19, 8:00 to 9:00 AM. Exhibitor or parent **MUST** be present for the release of the steer. If not present, a \$25.00 fee will be assessed to the exhibitor.

JUNIOR TURKEY SHOW

Chair: Tommy Lange

Committee: Mark Buck, David Dreyer, Justin Dreyer, Kenneth Dreyer, Wayne Fuchs, Michael Ganske, J.T. Gaskamp, Randy Gaskamp, Rickey Gaskamp, Diana Glenz, Darla Hamff, Lenny Krause, Chelsea Lange, Dr. Keith Mahlmann, Gary Noerenberg, Sherry Randermann, Troy Schroeder, Dr. Garral Tiaden, Cabin Warmke, Donald Wendler, Allen Wickel

Judging and Sifting: September 15, 7:00 - 8:00 a.m.

Judge: Phillip Koehler

1. All turkey entries are subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division Rules, except where they conflict with the rules of the Show, in which case the Show rules prevail.

2. Turkey exhibitors must start project in exhibitor's name when project is started.

a) All turkeys must be ordered through the Fair Office

b) Exhibitor's must order fifteen (15) turkeys. Turkeys will be sexed birds. Only hens will be eligible to show

c) Turkeys will be wing banded, number to be assigned alphabetically (A 1- 15) etc.

d) Entry is one turkey hen bearing official Washington County Fair wing bands which are assigned to exhibitor

e) Turkeys losing their wing bands cannot show. If wing band and/or wing webb shows evidence of tampering or if wing web is torn in any way the bird will be disqualified

f) All turkeys wing bands will be checked when they are brought to the sifting line and are subject to being checked anytime during the Fair.

3. All exhibitors must attend two of the three educational programs, set by the committee to be eligible to show at the Fair. Programs will held as follows:

February 21 Feeding & Management of Turkeys. Turkey entries are due

July 8 Feeding & Management of Turkeys

August 22 Selection of Turkeys

4. Turkeys will be sifted Wednesday, September 15, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. Judging to follow. Exhibitor may bring one spare turkey to the sifting line. If birds are sifted by the judge(s), the decision will be confirmed by the committee chairperson. Once birds pass the sift, they will be placed in their pen. **NO exchange or removal will be permitted.** Substitutions in case of death will be subject to committee approval.

5. Fire ant bites are considered to be a defect and birds will be sifted.

6. All containers in which turkeys are brought in, must have exhibitor's name on them. Any container left after the sift may disqualify exhibitor from the show.

7. All exhibitors must be present to hold their birds at the judging. If participating in another show the exhibitor should make arrangements for someone else to show birds with the approval of committee chairperson or designated committee member.

8. Awards: Ribbons will be given 1st through 10th place.

Grand Champion Turkey (banner)

Buckle compliments of Naylor's Wood Floors

Reserve Champion Turkey (banner)

Buckle compliments of Shannon Buck Photography

9. Each exhibitor will be responsible for the following:

- a) Feeding and caring of their birds during the Fair, no moist feeding after the judging begins (feed to be furnished by exhibitor)
- b) Proper maintenance of their bird's pen throughout the Fair
- c) Bring two (2) 1 lb. coffee cans with hole punched at top and wire for each can
- d) Cleaning and dressing all birds that are sold in the Junior Livestock Sale. Exhibitor will be responsible to deliver dressed birds to their buyers. There will be a 25% deduction from the Sale Price for failure to deliver dressed birds by October 15. The amount of that penalty will be forwarded to the Washington County Fair Scholarship Fund. **Absolutely no switching of birds.**

10. Turkeys will be released Saturday, September 18 10:00 p.m. – Midnight and Sunday, September 19 from 7:00 am. to 8:00 a.m.

11. Remove dead turkeys from pen and take home. Do not put in trash barrels.

12. Small personal electric fans WILL NOT be allowed.

JUNIOR WETHER GOAT SHOW

Chair: Marshall Conarroe Vice-Chair: Ronnie Hohlt

Committee: John Danesi, Doris Faterkowski, Carol Galow, Joanne Jelke, Denise Lampe, Michelle Schlottmann, Fritz Steeken, Jeanne Zander

Judging: September 15, 3:00 p.m.

Judge: Shawn Ramsey

1. Wether Goat entries will be subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division Rules, except where they conflict with the rules of this show, in which case, the Show Rules prevail.

2. Wether Goats will be ear tagged, tattooed and weighed on June 1 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the fairgrounds. The following criteria will be followed:

a) Male goats must be castrated, dehorned and/or disbudded before June 1.

b) Exhibitor may tag three (3) wethers or a family may tag three (3) per exhibitor (for a family tag-in, you do not have to specify which goat(s) belong to which exhibitor at weigh-in. However, there must be at least one wether tagged in for each exhibitor.) Each exhibitor can enter only one (1) wether in the show. A wether must be specified to an exhibitor before they are weighed in at the final weigh-in, Tuesday September 14. One wether per exhibitor can be brought to the final weigh-in. An exhibitor may substitute another tagged wether if their wether was disqualified due to weight.

3. Exhibitors must attend at least two (2) of the three educational program meetings to be eligible to show. Tag-in does not count as an educational meeting. Exhibitors will be required to sign in at all programs. Sign-in sheets will be removed 10 minutes after the scheduled start time. Programs will be presented on the following dates:

Feb. 16 Management & Housing Breeders

April 24 Mini Camp on selection/feeding/housing/clipping/management

June 1 Tag/Weigh-in

July 11 Clipping and Showmanship

4. Wether goats must be in the Fairgrounds by 6:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 14 and will be weighed Tuesday, September 14, 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

a) Wether goats must have milk teeth.

b) Wethers must have hair clipped and must be clean upon arrival. No clipping allowed on Fairgrounds.

c) Horn regrowth (i.e. scurs) cannot be longer than 1.5 inches at time of final weigh-in at the Fair. If horn regrowth is longer, animal will be disqualified.

d) Wether goats will be divided into five equal classes with a minimum weight of 75 lbs. and a maximum weight of 115 lbs. being allowed.

e) All covers, halters, ear tags, (except Washington County Fair ear tags and the TAHC/USDA scrapie ear tags) or any other item containing any form of identification must be removed prior to the September 14 weigh-in and continue throughout the Fair.

5. Showmanship will be judged separately following the wether show. Exhibitor must show their own wether goat to be eligible for showmanship awards.

6. Awards: Buckles will be awarded for each 1st Place in Class. Ribbons awarded 1st thru 10th place. Showmanship ribbons awarded 1st thru 3rd place.

Grand and Reserve Champion Buckles compliments of Jobi Goat Dairy

1st Place Buckle Sponsors: Ray & Tiffany Weiss, Dave & Laurie Kirts, Lyle & Patricia Kirts, Appel Dodge, Mike & Tina Taylor, Bar Z Ranch, Ronnie & Sheri Hohlt, and Wellmann Insurance.

1st place Sub-Junior Showmanship (3rd grade - 10 years old on show day), buckle

1st place Junior Showmanship (ages 11 to 13 years old on show day), buckle

1st place Senior Showmanship (ages 14 and older on show day), buckle

Showmanship Buckles compliments of Triple T Refrigeration

Premiums compliments of: Shon Callahan, Paul & Carol Galow, Lou & Betty Nuti, Michael Vader and Philip & Jeanne Zander

7. Removal of wether goats sold in the Junior Livestock Sale will only be conducted by the Wether Goat Committee.

8. Non-sale wether goats will be released Sunday, September 19, 7:00 to 9:00 a.m. by committee members only. Please be prompt in removing animals.

JUNIOR COMMERCIAL HEIFER SHOW

Chair: Michael Bentke Vice Chair: Ray Thaler, Jr.

Committee: Clem Baranowski, Cathy Boeker, Joyce Boeker, Trey Boeker, Preston Boenker, Melissa Boenker, Craig Bolcerek, Melisa Bosse, Ricky Bosse, Julie Dismukes, Leonard Dismukes, Colby Finke, Greg Gaskamp, Stanley Haferkamp, Will Hegar, Brian Hinze, Bruce Kettler, Ryan Kettler, David Koehne, Kyle Koehne, Keith Korth, Kenneth Ladewig, Shannon Lambert, Joey Muegge, Allan Parsons, Doug Pierce, Delbert Schmidt, , Dody Theeck, Casey Voskamp

Judging: Wednesday, September 15, Pen - 9:00 a.m. Judges:

Thursday, September 16, Halter - 8:00 a.m. Judge:

Introduction: This project is a part of the Junior Livestock Division; however, 4-H & FFA members can show and sell in this program as well as in the Junior Livestock Sale. (Example: You can sell commercial heifers in addition to a barrow, carcass hog, colt, fryers, lamb, rabbits, steer, turkey, or wether goat). Exhibitors must abide by the General and Junior Livestock Division rules .

1. This show is limited to projects owned, fed, and cared for by Washington County 4-H & FFA members in good standing and under the supervision of the Ag-Science Teachers and County Extension Agents. 4-H members must be nine (9) years of age or entering the 3rd grade in accordance with 4-H Rules to be eligible to participate and must abide by all Fair rules, attendance, etc.

2. Crossbred heifers are desired but purebred heifers will be permitted to show. Any heifer exhibited in the Commercial Heifer Show will not be allowed to compete in the Washington County Fair Junior Beef Heifer Show. Note: Heifers must be dehorned in order to exhibit. No grooming except for clipping of head, ears, tail and belly will be allowed.

3. Entry deadline is February 21. Paper work checked in from 4:30 to 5:30 pm., followed by meeting at 5:30. Due at this time are: Bangs Vaccination Sheets, Breeder Validation Sheets, entry fee, Exhibitor Information Sheet, and Release of Liability & Indemnity, and Drug Certification Form. Heifers entered on February 21 will be tagged and **tattooed** at assigned time Saturday, March 27, at Brenham Livestock Auction Barn. No heifers will be permitted at tag-in before their assigned time. Any attempt at early tag-in will automatically force the affected heifers to remain on the trailer and be moved to the end of the line (after 4:00 pm.) NOTE: No heifers will be accepted for tag-in if appropriate paperwork was not turned in at the February 21 meeting.

4. *Heifers must be Brucellosis calthood vaccinated by February 21.* Heifers must have a metal calthood vaccination tag in their ear and this must correspond with paperwork. No heifer having RV8 or earlier vaccination tattoos will be allowed to show in the spring born class.

5. The following age heifers will be eligible to show:

1. Halter heifers born January 1 - March 31, 2009
2. Halter heifers born October 1 - December 31, 2008
3. Pen of 3 non-halter heifers born October 1, 2008 - March 31, 2009

6. Heifers checked at the tag-in must have milk teeth, with no permanent incisors in view. Heifers not meeting this criteria will be disqualified from the program.
7. Exhibitors may tag in two (2) heifers or a family may tag in two (2) heifers per exhibitor. There must be a minimum of one (1) heifer per exhibitor in a family tag in. Exhibitors may enter two (2) heifers for competition in the halter classes as long as both heifers are not exhibited in the same class (one heifer must be spring and one heifer must be fall born). In a family tag in, heifers must be specified to an exhibitor on the breeding sheets turned in at the Livestock Entry Gate. Once the breeding sheets have been turned in upon entry to the fairgrounds, no changes will be made under any circumstances or exhibitors may tag in and exhibit a pen of three (3) heifers. NOTE: In a pen of three competition, 3 head must be tagged, but if a heifer is unable to compete, the remaining eligible heifers will be able to sell in the Sale but will not be eligible to compete for prize money. A pen of 2 can compete for record book and stall awards. A pen of one (1) heifer will be disqualified and not be eligible to compete at the Fair in any area of the Commercial Heifer Division.
8. Heifers cannot be added after the February 21 entry deadline. Halter heifers may be switched among exhibitors in the same family provided a family tag-in was done. No switching of halter heifers will be allowed after the breeding sheets are turned in at the Livestock Entry Gate. Pen heifers cannot be switched after the February 21 entry deadline
9. Exhibitors must own heifer(s) 100% throughout feeding period starting on February 21. Exhibitor must feed and care for heifer(s) in Washington County on their facility, or other committee approved facility and exhibit heifer(s) without any aid or assistance other than that of immediate family, Washington County Extension Agents, Ag-Science Teachers, and/or 4 -H Adult Leaders. Violations will cause the exhibitor to forfeit all rights to compete in the commercial heifer show.
10. Halter heifer entries must be halter broken by the August summer clinics and be led into the show ring by the exhibitor at that time to be eligible to compete.
11. Exhibitors must attend and participate in 1 of 2 Showmanship and Record Book Clinics to be eligible to show at the Fair. Tag-in and Program dates are as follows:

Feb.21	Initial meeting and entry fees are due
Mar. 27	Tag-in at Brenham Livestock Auction Barn - <u>Mandatory for all heifers</u>
Aug. 1	Record Book Clinic - 3:00 - 3:30 p.m., Showmanship Clinic beginning at 3:45 p.m. Consignment Fees (\$15.00 per head) are due - <u>Mandatory for halter heifers & all exhibitors</u>
Aug. 29	Record Book Clinic - 3:00 - 3:30 p.m., Showmanship Clinic beginning at 3:45 p.m. Consignment Fees (\$15.00 per head) are due - <u>Mandatory for halter heifers & all exhibitors</u>
Sept. 2	Palpation -1:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Sept. 10	Completed and signed pen heifer record books on or before 4:30 p.m. in the Fair Office.
Sept. 14	Fair Check-in (exhibitors & heifers) 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

12. Heifers must comply with Texas Animal Health Commission rules governing entry into the Washington County Fair. Check with your veterinarian for regulations concerning stock shows and sales before the Fair that would pertain to out-of-state shipments. Heifers must be palpated and at least 60 days pregnant, but not calved by show time as stated on official health papers after inspection by a licensed veterinarian. Please have veterinarian state the trimester pregnancy is in and brucellosis test results on health paper. (No earlier than 14 days prior to the Fair).

13. Heifers will be checked in for the Fair, September 14 from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the livestock gate. Health papers and breeding sheets will be collected at the gate. Hip heights on halter heifers will be taken as heifers are unloaded at the Fair.

14. Pen heifers will be judged Wednesday, September 15, 9:00 a.m. Record books will be judged with interviews following pen heifer results and awards. Halter heifers will be judged Thursday, September 16, 8:00 a.m. Halter heifers getting away from an exhibitor more than 2 times during the show will be tied to the fence. Showmanship will be judged during the halter heifer show.

15. Only exhibitors, heifers, and committee members are allowed in the show ring during the show. Any other person in the ring will disqualify the exhibitor and heifer associated with that person from the show and sale.

16. Classes will consist of the following: (Pen heifers are classified into their division at the initial tag-in on March 27. Pen of 3 unaltered heifers born October 1, 2008 - March 31, 2009 from the following divisions:

- 1) Brahman/Hereford F-1's (banner)
1st place jacket compliments of MIC Group
- 2) Black Brahman derivatives, i.e. black coated, with visible Brahman influence, (banner)
1st place jacket compliments of Raley Dist. - Ryan & Melissa Raley Family
- 3) Red Brahman derivatives, i.e. red coated with visible Brahman influence, (including white coated) (banner)
1st place jacket compliments of Schulte Farm Service - Michael & Kaysee Schulte & Family
- 4) All other breeds (banner)
1st place jacket compliments of Windy Valley Farm - Jerry & Sharon Allen
- 5) Grand Champion Pen of 3 (winners from classes 1, 2, 3, 4 to compete (banner).

\$750.00 compliments of Tiemann Cattle Co., Bar B Bar Ranch - Joyce Boeker,
Washington County Cattlewomen and Appel Ford.

Buckle compliments of Goodrich Ranch
- 6) Reserve Champion Pen of 3 (remaining heifers from class 5 and the second place pen from the division which Grand Champion came (rosette)

\$500.00 compliments of Christian Development Company, Steve & Sandra Westbrook,
Darryl & Linda Herrmann, & Washington County Cattlewomen

Buckle compliments of Texas AgFinance - Charles Holtkamp

Best Record Books: Record books are mandatory for all pen exhibitors. Finalist will be judged 60% on record book and 40% on personal interview.

Junior Division:

1st \$150.00 compliments of Washington Animal Clinic

Buckle compliments of Capital Farm Credit

2nd \$100.00 compliments of Appel Ford

3rd \$50.00 compliments of Collier Farms

Senior Division:

1st \$150.00 compliments of Appel Ford

Buckle compliments of Capital Farm Credit

2nd \$100.00 compliments of Christian Development Company

3rd \$50.00 compliments of Washington County Cattlewomen

Best Pen Exhibit:

1st \$75.00 compliments of Rafter Z Cattle Company - Matt & Pam Zibilski

2nd \$50.00 compliments of Rafter Z Cattle Company - Matt & Pam Zibilski

3rd \$25.00 compliments of Somerville Feed and Supply

Breeder of Champion Pen:

Plaque compliments of Washington County Extension Beef Committee

NOTE: Halter heifers will be measured and divided into classes of equal numbers according to hip height on September 14.

Spring Born Halter Heifers

7) Small frame heifers born Jan. 1, 2009 - Mar. 31, 2009

1st Place Jacket compliments of MIC Group

8) Medium frame heifers born Jan. 1, 2009- Mar. 31, 2009

1st Place Jacket compliments of Schulte Farm Service - Michael & Kaysee Schulte & Family

9) Large frame heifers born Jan. 1, 2009 - Mar. 31, 2009

1st Place Jacket compliments of H & H Machine Shop

10) Champion Spring Born Heifer (winners from class 7, 8 & 9 to compete) (banner)

11) Reserve Champion Spring Born Heifer (remaining heifer from class 10 and second place heifer from class which champion came).

Fall Born Halter Heifers

12) Small frame heifers born Oct. 1, 2008 to Dec. 31, 2008

1st Place Jacket compliments of Cattleman's Brenham Livestock Auction

13) Medium frame heifers born Oct. 1, 2008 - Dec. 31, 2008

1st Place Jacket compliments of Brazos Valley Feeders

14) Large frame heifers born Oct. 1, 2008 to Dec. 31, 2008

1st Place Jacket compliments of Discount Doors and Metal

15) Champion Fall Born Heifer (winners from class 12, 13 & 14 to compete) (banner)

16) Reserve Champion Fall Born Heifer (remaining heifer from class 15 and second place heifer from class which heifer came).

17) Grand Champion Halter Heifer (winners from classes 10 & 15) (banner)

\$750.00 compliments of Mark & Sherri Bentke, Clem Baranowski & Korth and Linke Welding, H & H Agri Service, Washington County Cattlewomen

Buckle compliments of Texas AgFinance - Charles Holtkamp

18) Reserve Grand Champion Halter Heifer (remaining heifer from class 17 and Reserve Champion from division which Grand Champion came) (rosette)

\$500.00 compliments of Round Top Farm & Ranch Supply, Appel Ford, Gary Gaskamp & Josh Flencher

Buckle compliments of Texas AgFinance - Charles Holtkamp

Best Group Stall Exhibit:

1st \$125.00 compliments of Collier Farm

2nd \$ 75.00 compliments of Mill Creek Glass

3rd \$ 25.00 compliments of Somerville Feed and Supply

Breeder of Champion Halter Heifer:

Plaque compliments of Washington County Extension Beef Committee

Junior Showmanship Halter Heifers: (ages 9 - 13 on day of show)

Buckle compliments of Somerville Feed and Supply

Senior Showmanship Halter Heifers: (ages 14 and over on day of show)

Buckle compliments of Preston and Melissa Boenker & Family

NOTE: The Commercial Heifer Committee reserves the right to amend these classes to adjust according to number of entries.

17. Exhibitors questioning the classification of pen cattle on initial tag-in date will have 30 days to present their concerns to the Commercial Heifer Committee Chairpersons.

18. Premiums will be set according to monies available. Ribbons will be awarded 1st to 5th place in each class.

19. Recognition and awards will begin at 6:30 P.M. Friday, September 17 followed by the Commercial Heifer Sale at 7:00 P.M. All heifers must sell. Halter heifers will sell individually and pen heifers will sell as a group, the number of heifers times the money bid. A 5% sale fee will be deducted from each sale lot and, \$1.00 from the sale price of each heifer in order to comply with the national law on the beef check-off.

20. Heifers will be released Sunday, September 19 from 8:00 am. to 12:00 noon by the Commercial Heifer Committee. (Halter Heifer Exhibitors should be present to release heifers.)

21. The Commercial Heifer Committee reserves the right to amend these rules with the approval of the Washington County Fair Executive Board.

22. All heifers sold become the property of the buyer and will remain sold.

23. All exhibitors who sell must have their thank you letter to their Buyers and Prize Sponsors submitted to the Fair Office for approval by October 4, 2010. Sale checks will be mailed November 1, 2010, provided thank you letters were submitted to the Fair Office.

24. There will be no harassment of the judge(s) and/or the Commercial Heifer Committee Members prior to, during, or after the show. Judge's reasons for their placing will be considered adequate explanation of their placing.

25. This program is designed to be educational and beneficial to the youth of Washington County. Any parent or exhibitor not adhering to any rule(s) of this program, will ban their entire family for a period of one (1) year to lifetime from exhibiting in this program per the Commercial Heifer Committee's discretion and Washington County Fair Executive Board.

JUNIOR COMMERCIAL STEER FEEDING & MANAGEMENT SHOW

Chair: Marcus Broesche Vice-Chair: Mark Surovik

Committee: Brian Boeker, Sandra Borchardt, Kevin Bosse, Ginger Bosse, Marsha Kocurek, Rebecca Council, Gary Crocker, Todd Dierking, Trent Dierking, Ron Gallway, Don Holtkamp, Herbert Klatter Jr., Leslie Little, Cindy Lyles Bryan Meyer, Bill Ragland, Frances Ragland, Mary Bonner Ragland, William Schawe, Steven Scheffer, Jackie Schroeder, Jeff Schwartz, Ed Shupak, Cameron Wehmeyer, Don Wellmann

Grading: 9:00 a.m. Test: 11:00 a.m. Interviews: Following Tests.

Junior Commercial Steer Feeding & Management Show is designed to encourage 4-H & FFA members to participate in a practical beef production program. Emphasis on feeding economy is not only recommended but is a prerequisite for entry in this show.

Buckles will be given for Grand and Reserve Champion Commercial Steer Pens.

Compliments of Texas AgFinance – Charles Holtkamp

Recordbook Award compliments of Prime Properties – Mary Bonner Ragland.

Herdsmen Award -Bill and Frances Ragland,

Gain Test Award - J - Bar Cattle Co.

Rookie of the Year Award – Don & Cindy Lyles,

Top Point Money Collection – Cash Award

This project is part of the Junior Livestock Division, however 4 - H and FFA members can show and sell in this program as well as in the Junior Livestock Sale. Example: You can sell a pen of steers in addition to a barrow, carcass hog, colt, fryers, rabbits, steer, turkey, or wether goat.)

1. Commercial Steer entries will be subject to the General Rules and Regulations and the Junior Livestock Division Rules except where they conflict with the rules of the show, in which case, Show Rules will prevail.
2. Commercial steers Initial Weigh In will be on April 10. Steers will be weighed, ear tagged and nose printed at that time. If ear tag is lost during the feeding period, the steer will be re-nose printed and given a new ear tag. If the nose print does not match the initial nose print, the steer will be disqualified.
3. Steers of any beef breeds are eligible to be entered in this show. Exhibitor must have owned their steers prior to April 10. Steers must be fed and cared for by the exhibitor from the date of acquisition to the closing day of the Fair.
4. Entry of one pen per exhibitor will be accepted. It will be a pen of two steers and they are to be fed in a separate feed pen from other livestock when placed on full feed. NOTE: Steers may be grazed prior to entering the show with other livestock. Replacement steers will not be accepted.
5. Exhibitor, parent/guardian, and a Committee Officer will be required to sign the record book kept on the pen of steers.

6. Steers must weigh 1050 lbs. or more at the final weigh-in, (before shrink). There will be no re-weighs. Steers should have been fed a minimum of 154 days. Steers weighing less than 1050 lbs. at the official weigh-in will not be placed and will not receive grade points. Light steers will sell last unless the exhibitor places Grand and/or Reserve Champion. The participant will be eligible for point money. Only if a steer should die or become ineligible during the feeding period, the exhibitor may show and sell the remaining steer. If an exhibitor should have a steer die during the Feeding Program, the Record Book would be completed as follows: All costs incurred by the exhibitor from the initial weigh – in date until the date the steer died would be divided by two and the remaining days would only show cost for the remaining steer.

7. Steers will be weighed at a designated time and place, with a 3% shrink, and will be sold at that same weight.

8. Steers need not be halter broken; however, no wild or unruly animals will be accepted. (If it is necessary to remove one or both unruly steers from a pen, the pen will be disqualified) They will be shown as a group of pens. Rule will be enforced.

9. Steers must be dehorned (Not tipped), otherwise they will not be accepted in the show.

10. Each exhibitor must certify that these steers were legally withdrawn from all chemicals and drugs in accordance with United States Food and Drug Administration regulations and comply with all state and federal regulations pertaining to livestock.

11. No steers will be ear tagged after April 10.

12. Exhibitors must complete all phases of the contest in order to sell their steers and receive premium monies.

13. A committee of judges will grade the Junior Commercial Steers based on U.S.D.A. Standard Quality and yield grades for slaughter steers.

14. Steers receiving ribbons will be sold in overall high point order at auction. Steers that grade below the grade of Select or that weigh less than 1050 lbs., will be sold at auction after all other steers of a higher grade are sold. Steers entered will be sold at auction. A 5% sales fee will be deducted from market price. A market price will be determined by the resale bid on the day of the sale and will be announced. Money bid over this market price will not go to the exhibitor, but will be added to the point money award system.

15. The official scoring system used in this division based on 100 points will be scored as follows:

- Quiz- 25 pts.
- Feed Conversation - 5 pts.
- Steer Grade- 10 Pts.
- Record Book- 25 pts.
- Oral Interview- 25 pts.
- Cost/lb of Gain- 5 pts.
- Average Daily Gain- 5 pts.

16. Chairperson will designate a time and place when record books are to be turned in when steers are unloaded at the fair.

17. The Chairperson will designate a time when the exhibitor, **ONLY THE EXHIBITOR**, may direct questions or inquiries pertaining to any aspect of the show to show officials or designated committee person(s).

18. Ribbons will be awarded to all steers grading as follows:

Points Per Steer

<u>GRADE</u>	<u>Prime</u>	<u>Choice</u>	<u>Select</u>
Yield Grade -1 to 2	Blue 5	Red 5	White 3
Yield Grade- 3	Blue 5	Red 5	White 3
Yield Grade - 4 to 5	None 4	None 1	None 0

19. All point money **MUST** be turned in by 9:00 A.M. the Friday of the Fair, to count toward point money contest. All monies collected will be applied to total point money for exhibitors.

20. NOTE: Exhibitors **MUST** attend 2 of the 4 Educational Meetings to be eligible to show in the Commercial Steer Show. **The June 20th Meeting is mandatory.** If the exhibitor cannot attend, please call the Committee Chairman.

TENTATIVE MEETING DATES

- Feb 28 Orientation - Fairgrounds - 6:30 P.M.
- April 10 Weigh - In - Brenham Livestock Auction - 8:00 A.M.
- June 20 Point Money First Meeting - Fairgrounds - 6:30 P.M.
- July 25 Record Book - Fairgrounds - 6:30 P.M.
- Sept 11 Weigh - In - Brenham Livestock Auction - 8:00 A.M.
- Sept 14 Record Books due - steers to Fairgrounds 7 am - 9 am

SINGLE FRYER RABBIT SHOW

Chair: Rodney Williams Vice-Chair: Mark Kunkel

JUDGING: September 15, after Jr. Rabbit Show

JUDGE: Robert "Bob" Sorrels

1. Entry deadline is August and the entry fee is \$3.00
2. Exhibitor may enter one single fryer pen.
3. This is a separate class from the market rabbits and will not be sold at the Junior Livestock Sale.
4. AWARDS: Premium money and number of places will be determined according to the dollar amount of donations received. The Junior Livestock Division is not responsible for premium money in this class.

Grand Champion Single Fryer belt buckle donated by: The Mark Lehmann Family

5. This shall be a separate entry. Market rabbits will not be used in this class.
6. Exhibitor may bring only one alternate fryer for this class.
7. Single fryers will not be over 75 days of age and not weigh over 5 lbs.
8. Single fryers will not be slaughtered and will be released at same time as market rabbits.
9. All Junior Market Rabbit Show rules will apply unless otherwise stated.
10. Sifting for this class will be done immediately following sifting of the market pen of rabbits.
11. Judging will follow the meat pen class. Single fryer rabbits must be brought to and from the show table by the exhibitor or any other youth entered in the Rabbit Show.

JUNIOR BREEDING RABBIT SHOW

Chair: Rebecca Mertz

Judge: Robert "Bob" Sorrels

Judging: September 15, immediately following Single Fryer Rabbit Show

1. This show will be governed by the American Rabbit Breeders Association guidelines as outlined in the 2006-2010 A.R.B.A. Standard of Perfection.
2. This show is open to all youth of Washington County 6 years of age and under 19 years of age as of September 1, 2010.
3. Entries will be accepted Wednesday September 15, 8:00 a.m.
4. The show is open only to recognized breeds of pedigreed purebred rabbits. Mixed breeds will not be permitted to enter the show.
5. All stock must be clearly marked and permanently earmarked in the left ear. All stock must be bona fide property of the exhibitor.
6. Entry into the show may be refused for the following reasons: colds, ear canker, open sores, sore hocks, and any other obvious illness; at the discretion of the superintendent and/or judges. Removal of these animals will be immediate.
7. The Washington County Fair Association will not be responsible for any loss or damage in the showroom or on the grounds but will try to provide every precaution necessary to safeguard the animals.
8. Ribbons will be awarded to the first 5 places in each class.
9. Trophies will be awarded to the following: Best in Show, Best of Opposite Sexes in Show, Best of Breed, and Best of Opposite Sex of Breed.

WASHINGTON COUNTY CALF SCRAMBLE

Chairpersons: Patsy and Kenny Lucherk

Committee: Clyde Fuchs, Robbie Fuchs, Joy Fuchs, Luke Fuchs, Melinda Fuchs, Ann Jacobs, Barbara Saunders, T. Saunders, Greg Schomburg, Karen Schomburg

2009-2010 WASHINGTON COUNTY FAIR CALF SCRAMBLE SPONSORS & WINNERS

Dr. Christopher McCarty & Dr. Gary Appelt - Shelby Glenz

Blue Bell Creameries – Caleb Rodenbeck

Washington County Cattlewomen Assoc. – Jon Wellmann

A.J. Cattle Company & John Jacobs Family – Kevin Weiss

William R. and Sue Krueger – Adrian Whipple

Raley Distributing – Carter Schwartz

Gary Moore Veterinary Services PC – Payton Warmke

Roy White – Jessica Jackson

Stillmeadows Farm - Laura & John Beckworth – Blake Ramsey

Vicky & Michael Muegge /Linda & Garral Tiaden – Hunter Seeker

Equipment Support Svcs./Maurice Graeber & Fuchs Ag. Svcs/ Clyde & Robbie Fuchs – Justin Nuendorff

Double K Dozing, LLC/Cindy, Ryan & Bruce Kettler & KD Cattle Co/Pearl & Marshall Dodd – Tyler Hohlt

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR 2010 CALF SCRAMBLE

Calf Scramble is a year long project starting with the Rodeo at the 2010 Washington Co. Fair and ending at the 2011 Washington Co. Fair Scramble Show. The Rules and Regulations are as follows:

1. Entry fee \$15 per participant. Entry fee is non-refundable.
2. Parent or legal guardian must sign in the presence of a notary, the “consent for minor to participate” portion of the Washington County Calf Scramble Entry Form.
3. Participant, Parent, and County Agent/FFA Advisor must sign Responsibilities section of the Washington County Calf Scramble Entry Form.
4. Completed entry form must be turned in to the Fair Office no later than Friday, September 17 at noon to be considered eligible to participate in the Calf Scramble.
5. Incomplete entry forms will not be accepted.
6. Participation is open to Washington County 4-H, Brenham FFA and Burton FFA members in good standing, wanting to purchase a purebred heifer for a 4-H or FFA project.

7. Participants may enter as many times as desired, but can win only one certificate to purchase a Washington County Scramble Heifer.
8. Participants must be between the ages of 11 to 17 years old on September 1 (age determination date) and cannot exceed their junior year in high school.
9. Number of Scramblers will be selected at the committee's discretion.
10. Eligible scramblers names will be posted at the Washington County Scramble Heifer Exhibit located in Livestock Barn #3 on Saturday September 18th and will be announced during the Washington Co. Fair Calf Scramble Heifer Award Reception.
11. All scramble contestants and parents/guardians will meet at the Calf Scramble Exhibit at 6:00 p.m. MANDATORY "Roll Call" and Rules Meeting will be in the Sales Facility. Scramble participants and Committee will go to the rodeo as a group with the Scramble Committee.
12. Scramble Committee reserves the authority to determine number of calves and awards to be given on the basis of participation.

RODEO ARENA RULES

1. Participants must wear a belt with a small buckle, long pants and running shoes. No jewelry or hats are permitted.
2. Participants will be using rope halters that are supplied by the WCF Calf Scramble Committee.
3. Halter will not be used as a lariat.
4. Halter must be placed on the head of the animal in the usual way.
5. Participant WILL NOT be allowed to tie the rope to his/her body or belt.
6. Each participant will attempt to catch and halter one of the calves released.
7. If a participant has hold of a calf, other participants cannot touch the calf until it breaks away.
8. When a participant has a calf by the tail, they will be given a reasonable amount of time to work around to the calf's head, otherwise, a committee member will order them to let the calf go.
9. If two or more participants have the same calf, the calf will be let go.
10. A participant who secures and properly halters a calf and leads it across the finish line, indicated by the Committee, is a winner in the Washington County Calf Scramble.
11. Undue roughness will not be tolerated.
12. Poor sportsmanship automatically disqualifies scramble contestant.

The Washington County Fair Association of the State of Texas will not be responsible for any accident that may occur to any participant in the Calf Scramble project: before, during, or after the Washington County Fair.

PURCHASING RULES FOR THE 2010-2011 WASHINGTON COUNTY CALF SCRAMBLE

1. The calf bought must be purebred and registered in the respective association records for one of the following breeds:

Angus	Brangus	Hereford	Red Brangus	Santa Gertrudis
Beefmaster	Charolais	Limousin	Red Angus	Shorthorn
Brahman	Chianina	Maine-Anjou	Simbrah	Simmental

2. Calf must have been born between January 1, and May 31, 2010.

3. Winner must use Washington County Fair Calf Scramble Certificate to purchase heifer. Date of sale must be from September 19 to November 1, 2010.

4. Winners are NOT allowed to purchase a heifer from a family member for this Calf Scramble project.

5. If heifer purchased cost more than the \$1000.00 certificate, additional cost will be at the winner's expense.

6. A copy of the original registration certificate and letter from the Washington County Fair Association will be sent to the winners

7. The original registration certificate will remain in the files of the Washington County Fair Association until the end of the 2011 Washington County Fair in September. The registration certificate will then be mailed to the scramble heifer exhibitor.

8. All obligations of the Calf Scramble program must be met and must be verified by the Calf Scramble Committee. If obligations are not met, the participant will be required to return the \$1000.00 or the heifer to the Washington County Fair Association.

2010-2011 RESPONSIBILITIES FOR CALF SCRAMBLE WINNERS

1. Winners must bring a "Thank You" letter stamped and addressed to his/her sponsor/sponsors along with a copy for the Calf Scramble Committee to the "First Mandatory Meeting" .

2. Read all mail and abide by all rules set by the Calf Scramble Committee and Washington County Fair.

3. Submit reports each month to the committee, sponsor, County Extension Agent or Ag-Science instructor.

4. Send pictures of you and your heifer at least three (3) times a year to the Calf Scramble Committee, your Sponsor and you County Extension Agent/ FFA Advisor.

5. Winners MUST attend all mandatory meetings set by committee.

6. Complete and submit to the Washington County Fair Scramble Committee for judging for the 2011 Washington County Calf Scramble Awards: 500 word essay entitled "My Calf Scramble Project" Scrapbook of Calf Scramble Project & Exhibitor Sign. Deadlines, Awards and Prizes to be announced.

7. Heifers must be in place by Tuesday, September 13, 2011 - 6:00 p.m.
8. Show is limited to the Washington County Fair Calf Scramble Winners ONLY.
9. All scramble heifers are subject to the rules and regulations of the Washington County Fair Association and Junior Beef Heifer Show. Entries are eligible for both Open and Junior Beef Shows. The Scramble Winners must exhibit their heifer at the 2011 Washington County Fair Scramble Show unless circumstances approved by the Scramble Committee make this impractical.
10. If a winner does not comply with all the above objectives of the Washington County Calf Scramble Program, the winner will be required to return the \$1000.00 or the heifer to the Washington County Fair Association.

APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE AT THE FAIR OFFICE 1305 E. BLUE BELL ROAD