

4-H AND FFA DAIRY AND LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTESTS

Provides an educational activity to evaluate dairy animals and livestock

Superintendent: Clinton Kettler

Date and Schedule: **Saturday, September 19**

7:00 – 7:45 a.m.	Registration
7:45 – 8:15 a.m.	Orientation
8:15 a.m.	Dairy & Livestock Judging Contests Begin
1:00 p.m.	Awards Presentation

(Official placings and reasons will be given immediately following the Dairy & Livestock Judging Contests)

Registration Fee: \$6.00 per contestant

Tabulation: Ewell & Associates

General Rules:

1. Only Texas 4-H and FFA members may enter.
2. Coaches may enter as many individuals and teams as desired. Dairy and Livestock judging teams will consist of three (3) or four (4) members, with the three (3) highest scores tabulated to comprise the team score.
3. The contest will be divided into Junior and Senior Divisions. Those contestants 15 years and older on September 1, 2009 will be considered Seniors; contestants 14 years and younger will be considered Juniors.
4. Contestants must be bona fide 4-H or FFA members and certified as such by their coach at registration to be eligible for the contest.
5. Contestants can enter only one contest (Dairy or Livestock).
6. Contestants will be allowed eight (8) minutes per class: seven (7) minutes to judge and one (1) minute to move.
7. Scores will be on placing only – no reasons. The tie breaking classes will be by standard deviation.
8. All scores will be tabulated using computer scan sheets. **All contestants will be required to:**
 - A) Correctly fill in their name, team name, team number and placings. A mistake in the team number column **will result in disqualification.**
 - B) **Bring two (2) #2 pencils and a manila folder and clip board.** The scan sheet must be kept in the folder at all times to prevent cheating and protect the scan sheet from dirt and moisture. (Scan sheets will be provided.) **IN ADDITION, THE FOLLOWING RULES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED:**
 - C) **There will be no cheating allowed.** Anyone caught cheating will be removed from the contest immediately and disqualified.
 - D) All ovals must be colored - in completely and must be dark.
 - E) Any stray marks or mistakes must be erased completely.
 - F) DO NOT fold or bend the scan sheet in any way which may prevent the scan sheet from being read by the scanner. Any scan sheet which jams the scanner will result in disqualification.
 - G) Any scan sheets that are incomplete, incorrectly filled out, etc. for any reason will be scored a zero (0).
 - H) All scores tabulated by the computer are final; no changes will be made.
9. The decision of the contest officials are final.
10. **Results will be posted on the following websites:**

www.judgingcard.com or www.agintexas.org

JUNIOR DAIRY JUDGING CONTEST

Chairperson: Melvin Ashorn

Committee: Brian Ashorn, Jason Ashorn, Sara Ashorn, Kathryn Boyd, Terie Gresham, Diane Kettler, Melvin Klussmann, Billy Dean Koerth, John See, Robin See, Amanda Thiel, Todd Thiel, Wendy Warner, Blinn College Ag. Club

Judge: To Be Announced

6 classes of 4 female animals each will be judged if available

Junior & Senior Division Awards

High Point Individual 1st – 2nd Place Belt Buckle and \$125.00 (1st place) & \$75.00 (2nd place) savings bond.

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High Point Individual 3rd Place Duffle Bag and \$50.00 savings bond.

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High Point Individual 4th – 10th Place Duffle Bag

Junior or Senior Division Award

Overall High Point Individual Plaque

Junior & Senior Division Awards

Team 1st – 2nd Place Plaque
Team Members 1st – 2nd Place Portfolio

Junior or Senior Division Award

Coach of Overall High Point Team Plaque

Washington County Awards

Top 2 High Point Individuals – Juniors Plaque and gift card.

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Top 2 High Point Individuals – Seniors Plaque and gift card.

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JUNIOR LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST

Chairperson: Matt Zibilski

Committee: Blinn College Ag. Club, Sandra Borchardt, Lee Ann Chambers, Meg Cone, Larry Glenz, Shawna Goerlitz, Tim Huebner, David Kirts, Brian Lorenz, Barbara Luetge, Greg Schomburg, Karen Schomburg, Karen Steenken, Casey Voskamp, Cabin Warmke, Tiffany Weiss, Alan Winkelmann, Pam Zibilski

Judge: TAMU Livestock Judging Team

8 classes of 4 animals each will be judged as follows: two classes of barrows; two classes of heifers; two classes of market steers; one class of market lambs; and one class of market goats.

Junior & Senior Division Awards

High Point Individual 1st – 3rd Place
Belt Buckle and \$125.00 (1st place), \$75.00 (2nd place), and \$50.00 (3rd place) savings bond.

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High Point Individual 4th – 10th Place Duffle Bag

Junior & Senior Division Awards – Species Classes

High Point Individual - Beef 1st – 3rd Place Rosette
High Point Individual - Swine 1st – 3rd Place Rosette
High Point Individual - Sheep & Goats 1st – 3rd Place Rosette

Junior or Senior Division Award

Overall High Point Individual Plaque

Junior & Senior Division Awards

Team 1st – 3rd Place Plaque
Team Members 1st – 3rd Place Portfolio

Junior or Senior Division Award

Coach of Overall High Point Team Plaque

Washington County Awards

Top 4 High Point Individuals - Juniors Plaque and gift card.
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Top 4 High Point Individuals – Seniors Plaque and gift card.
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