HILL COUNTY FAIR

LIVESTOCK DIVISION

January 25 – January 30, 2021

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

These Rules Are In Effect Until After Stock Show 2021 Please note that all dates, times, and events are subject to change at any time.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Nick Hoffman Charlie French

- 1. The Hill County Fair Livestock Show will be held annually as part of the Hill County Fair in Hillsboro.
- All exhibitors in the Hill County Fair Livestock Show must be a bona fide member of a Hill County 4-H Club or FFA Chapter, and not be a high school graduate. The exhibitor will be ineligible if he/she has exhibited a project in another County Show during the current school year.
- 3. All exhibitors must own and exhibit their animal. Substitution of show men are allowed only for exhibitor having two or more animals in the same class, doctor's excuse or note from principal verifying another school activity. The Hill County Fair Livestock Show will enforce no pass-no play rule during the show. If the student is eligible to show he will be eligible to sell. It is the responsibility of the schools, County Agents and 4-H leaders to check grades. There will be no substitutions of showmen for failing students.
- 4. The Livestock Committee is made up of the Show Superintendent and the Superintendents of the respective divisions.
- The Executive Committee will make last minute decisions on rules and protests and will serve as a sift committee for the fair. Livestock division superintendents will have the authority to make immediate decisions related to safety of the exhibitors and livestock.
- 6. The Hill County Fair Livestock Show Executive Committee reserves the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and to arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, and differences in regard thereto or otherwise arising out of, or in connection with, or incident to this show, with the exception of validation dates and ownership deadline.
- 7. Any protest to be considered must be submitted in writing and accompanied by \$250 cash to the Superintendent of the show before the animal or project is exhibited. The Executive Committee will consider the protest. The superintendent of the division being protested will serve as an alternate to the committee.
- 8. In no case shall the Hill County Fair Livestock Show nor any of the Show Superintendents and officials be held responsible for loss, injury, death or disability from disease, or from theft, hail storm, fire or from damages from any cause to the person or property, while any person or property is on the show grounds.
- 9. Exhibitors may place a sign over each exhibit. Official organization cards should be used by members of such organizations. Tie areas will be assigned to each community. All exhibits will be tied in their respective areas.
- 10. All animals must remain in designated pen or tie-out area after weigh-in and no exhibitor shall remove his or her exhibit from show grounds until the animal is shown.
- 11. All cars and trailers will be parked in an area designated by the Superintendent of the show. No RVs OR camping in livestock trailers allowed on the grounds. The youth leaders will be responsible for seeing that the exhibitors drive in a manner that will be safe while around the show grounds.
- 12. Any exhibit erroneously entered may be entered correctly prior to show time by contacting the Superintendent of their division.
- 13. Scales will be provided at the show and all animals will be weighed and divided into classes according to these recorded weights. All animals will be weighed one time only, with weight tolerances of 10 lbs. for steers, 5 lbs. for swine and 3 lbs. for lambs and goats. Any market animal below or above weight must be removed from the grounds immediately. Show Superintendent interpretation of weights and classes is final.
- 14. An animal may be shown only in one class.
- 15. Steers, breeding heifers, swine, lambs, goats and horses not in show condition, those not halter broken, or otherwise not desirable for show will be sifted by sift committee. If for any reason an animal cannot make its way into the show ring, it will not be eligible for

judging.

- 16. Any comparable classes may be divided or combined at the Show Superintendent's discretion if the number of entries so warrants.
- 17. Numbered ribbons and prize money will be given in each breeding class. Showmanship buckles will be presented to a junior and senior participant in each division (except breeding swine and breeding goats). Junior showmanship classes consist of exhibitors who are 13 years and younger. Senior showmanship classes consist of exhibitors 14 years and older. All exhibitors are eligible to return to compete for showmanship.
- 18. The number of places and amount of prize money will be determined by the number of entries in each breeding class.
- 19. No prize money will be given in market classes.
- To compete for Grand Champion, the first place winner of each class will compete for Grand Champion of the Division. After the Champion has been selected, the second place animal of the class, from which the Champion has been selected, will compete for Reserve Champion.
- 21. Cattle may be hayed and watered in barn. Stalls must be cleaned daily and at end of show. Hay may not be used for bedding. Hog pens must be cleaned daily.
- 22. Facilities will be closed each day at 10:00 pm and will re-open at 4:30 am.
- 23. Livestock Validation Deadlines are as follows:
 - All swine, goats, lambs, and heifers must have a Hill County Fair tag or be State Validated. All steers must be State Validated.
 - a. Steers must be validated on June 8, 2020 or no later than June 22, 2020.
 - b. All commercial or registered heifers must be tagged with a Hill County Fair tag or be State Validated no later than Tuesday, October 27, 2020. Previously validated registered heifers are eligible to show in the Hill County Fair.
 - c. All market barrows and breeding gilts to be shown on the county and/or major show level must be tagged with a Hill County Fair tag or be State Validated on November 16, 23, or 30, 2020 Ear notches and breed will be documented on county validation paperwork for all swine validated for the Hill County Fair.
 - d. All market and breeding goats and lambs to be shown on the county and/or major show level must be tagged with a Hill County Fair tag or state validated no later than Monday, October 19, 2020.
 - e. Rabbit validation for <u>ALL meat pen and breeding rabbits</u> will be held Thursday, January 7, 2021.
 - f. All broilers will come from Texas A&M Poultry Science Department Orders are placed through Ag Science Teachers or County Agents by October 16, 2020
- 24. The Hill County Fair reserves the right to test any animal or poultry officially entered in any division, for any foreign substance including drugs, chemicals, or feed additives. Anyone found in violation will be disqualified and declared ineligible to receive premium money or sale proceeds. Carcass of disqualified animal or poultry will be disposed of per written instructions from USDA or FDA.
- 25. Exhibitors eligible for showmanship must own and exhibit their animal in that division.
- 26. Drench guns allowed. **Pumps not allowed**.
- 27. Touch up clipping is allowed on all species.
- 28. This is a Blow and Go Show for All Species NO paint, glue, powders, adhesives, etc. are allowed.
- 29. No heat lamps allowed.
- 30. NO dogs allowed on the fairgrounds unless they are a service dog.
- 31. All pens are to be cleaned of shavings at the release of livestock projects.
- 32. No professional fitters allowed. Hill County Agriculture Science Teachers, Hill County Extension Agents, Parents/Legal Guardians may fit livestock.

'PREMIUM SALE RULES'

- 1. Each exhibitor may sell only one market animal. All Grand and Reserve Grand Champion market animals will be sold.
- 2. When exhibitor has more than one animal eligible for sale, the exhibitor must declare within one hour after their last animal has shown which animal will be in the sale. If not declared in one hour the highest placing animal will be in the sale. If exhibitor has two animals placing the same the heaviest animal will be sold. There is no bump up.
- 3. Each exhibitor may only sell only one animal in the Livestock Premium Sale.
- 4 Each exhibitor is responsible for his or her animal after the sale.
- 5 All market animals will be sold according to placing. The order will be as follows:

Overall Grand Champions Overall Reserve Champions Division Champions Division Reserve Champions Placing animals – Light, Medium, Heavy or in placing order

All sale lots will rotate in the following order: Steers, Lambs, Goats, Swine, Broilers, Rabbits

- 6. Only animals placing in the top 75% of each class will be eligible to sell. No rounding of number.
- 7. No animal will sell for more than the grand or reserve champion of that species.
- Each exhibitor must be present in the sale ring when his/her animal is sold. Substitutions are allowed only for participation in other schoolsponsored activity or doctor's excuse. Request may be made to Livestock Superintendent to substitute for extenuating circumstances. (Vacations are not a valid excuse).
- 8. All checks must be cashed within 60 days of the issue date of the check or be VOID.
- A 5% commission on each market animal sold will be paid by the seller to the Livestock Division to cover building projects and auction expenses such as caps for buyers, printing of sale list, postage, etc. This commission will be deducted from the seller's check. Any money left over will go into an escrow account to be used for show facility improvements.
- 10. Each exhibitor is to write a "Thank You" note to buyer purchasing his or her animal and make every effort to thank buyer in person.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

8:00 a.m.	All breeding and market rabbits in place (Livestock Barn Arena)
11:00 a.m.	Rabbit Show – followed by showmanship
	Rabbit Show Buckle Picture following show
3:30 p.m.	Broilers move in and check in (Livestock Barn Arena)
4:00 p.m.	Broiler Show – followed by showmanship
	Broiler Show Buckle Picture following show
6:00 p.m.	Ag Mechanics must be moved-In
6:00-8:00 p.m.	Ag Mechanics Check-In

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2021

TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2021

8:00 a.m.	Ag Mechanics Judging
3:00 p.m.	Ag Mechanics Awards
	Awards Picture following awards ceremony
4:00 p.m.	Market swine, lambs, and goats must be in place and weigh-in begins
	Breeding gilts will check in at 4:00 pm followed by market barrows Breeding sheep papers and tooth check will follow the market lamb weigh-in
	Breeding goats will be toothed immediately following market goat weigh-in

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2021

8:00 a.m.	Swine Show
	Breeding - Market - Showmanship
	Swine Show Buckle Picture following show
1:00 p.m.	Steers and heifers in place – weigh in and registration paper check-in begins
·	A Day in the Ring Show – CANCELLED FOR 2021
3:00 p.m.	Lamb Show
·	Breeding - Market – Showmanship
	Lamb Show Buckle Picture following show
4:00 p.m.	Goat Show
·	Breeding – Market – Showmanship
	Goat Show Buckle Picture following show

FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 2021

9:00 a.m.	Steer Show Born and Bred Steer Show Steer Show Buckle Picture following show Cody Allen Scholarship Showmanship Fund-Raiser
Thirty Minute Break	Heifer Show Born and Bred Heifer Show Heifer Show Buckle Show Picture following show All cattle release at the completion of Born and Bred Heifer Show
SATURDAY, January 30, 2020	
9:00 a.m.	Horse Show
11:00 a.m-1:00 p.m. 12:30 p.m.	Horse Show Buckle Picture following show Buyer's Meal (Open to the Public) Market Auction

HILL COUNTY SHOP PROJECT SHOW

Superintendent: TBD

Judge: Mark Vitters and Charles Prause

- 1. Entry fee of \$20.00 per entry
- 2. Entries in place Tuesday, January 26, 2021 by 6:00 p.m. Check in from 6:00 pm-8:00 pm
- 3. Judging and exhibitor showmanship will take place at 8:00 am Wednesday, January 27, 2021. EXHIBITORS MUST BE PRESENT
- 4. The purpose of this show is to recognize the excellent work of students in 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters. Equipment previously exhibited at Hill County Show is not eligible.
- 5. Books for each project are optional.
- 6. To be eligible for sweepstakes a chapter must exhibit five (5) projects or more. Sweepstakes will be given to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places.
- 7. Projects will remain on the grounds during the week of the fair in the designated area.
- 8. Categories:
 - (a) Livestock Equipment
 - (b) Farm Machinery
 - (c) Farm
 - (d) Home & Yard Conveniences
 - (e) BBQ Pits and Cookers
 - (f) Trailers
 - (h) Gates
 - (i) Woodwork Projects
 - (i) Wildlife
- 9. Awards will be given to the Overall Grand Champion, Overall Reserve Champion, blue and red ribbons will be awarded to each project with plaques or banners for first place in each category.
- 10.Projects must be completed between Hill County Fair 2020 and 2021

DIVISION I - BREEDING SHEEP

Superintendents: TBD

Time: 3:00 p.m. Thursday, January 28, 2021

Judge: Marvin Ensor SPECIAL RULES

1. Entry Fee - \$20.00 per animal.

- 2. All breeding sheep must have a Hill County Fair tag or be State Validated by October 19, 2021.
- 3. There will be five breeds of ewes: Hair Sheep; Finewools; Finewool Cross; Southdowns; Medium Wools
- 4. Breeding and Market sheep will be shown together for showmanship.
- 5. Three (3) breeding sheep may be entered per exhibitor but only one entry per age class.
 6. Paper and tooth checks will be done on Wednesday, January 27, 2021 immediately following market lamb weigh-in
- 7. Classes will be divided by age which will include lamb, two-toothed and aged sheep.
- 8. Breed classes smaller than 5 will be combined into one class

9. Touch up clipping is allowed.

10. This is a Blow and Go Show for All Species - NO paint, glue, powders, adhesives, etc. are allowed

11.No loading equipment or animals at north end of show barn during steer and heifer shows.

HAIR SHEEP, FINEWOOL, FINEWOOL CROSS, SOUTHDOWNS, AND MED. WOOL CHAMPIONS – Buckle HAIR SHEEP, FINEWOOL, FINEWOOL CROSS, SOUTHDOWNS, AND MED. WOOL RESERVE CHAMPIONS – Buckle

GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING SHEEP - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING SHEEP - Buckle

Premium Schedule Each Breeding Sheep Class will be paid as follows: 1st Place \$40.00 2nd Place \$30.00 3rd Place \$20.00 4th Place \$10.00

DIVISION II – MARKET LAMBS

Superintendent: TBD Time: 3;00 p.m. (following breeding sheep show) Thursday, January 28, 2021. Judge: Marvin Ensor SPECIAL RULES

Entry fee - \$20.00 per animal.

- 1. All market lambs must have a Hill County Fair tag or be State Validated by October 19, 2021.
- 2. Wethers only may enter this division
- 3. LIMIT 2 LAMBS PER EXHIBITOR
- 4. Market lambs will be slick shorn prior to being weighed the first day of the show.
- 5. Lambs-minimum weight 75 lbs.-No max
- 6. Lambs may be reclassified by predominant breed as determined by lamb classifier when weighed
- 7. Five or more hair sheep will constitute a breed. If less than 5 are present they will be shown with the medium wools. If five head of fine wool and/or fine wool cross are not present, they will be shown together. When combined, if fine wool and fine wool cross are not a total of 5, they will be shown with the medium wool. If less than 5 head of Southdown are present, they will be shown with the medium wool. If less than 5 head of Southdown are present, they will be shown with the medium wool class.
- 8. Only animals placing in the top 75% of each class will be eligible to sell (NO rounding).
- 9. Each exhibitor will be allowed to weigh each lamb one time during weigh-in
- 10. Touch up clipping is allowed
- 11. This is a Blow and Go Show for All Species NO paint, glue, powders, adhesives, etc. are allowed

MARKET LAMBS

Class – Hair Sheep

- Class All others (Fine Wool & Fine Wool Cross)
- Class Southdown
- Class Medium Wool

NOTE: Any breed with five or more entries will constitute its own breed.

HAIR SHEEP, FINEWOOL, FINEWOOL CROSS, SOUTHDOWNS, AND MED. WOOL CHAMPIONS – Buckle HAIR SHEEP, FINEWOOL, FINEWOOL CROSS, SOUTHDOWNS, AND MED. WOOL RESERVE CHAMPIONS – Buckle

GRAND CHAMPION MARKET LAMB - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET LAMB – Buckle

JR. & SR. SHOWMANSHIP - Buckle (breeding and market lambs will show together for showmanship)

DIVISION III- BREEDING GOATS

Superintendents: Levin Ainsworth Time: 4:00 p.m., Thursday, January 28, 2021 Judge: Marvin Ensor SPECIAL RULES

- 1. Entry Fee \$20.00 per animal.
- 2. All breeding goats must have a Hill County Fair tag or be State Validated by October 19, 2020.
- 3. All entries must have tipped horns.
- 4. This division is open to any meat breed or crossbred goat.
- 5. Does will be aged by teeth immediately following market goat weigh-in on Wednesday, January 27, 2021.
- 6. One breeding goat entry per exhibitor.
- 7. Restraint: Exhibitors will be allowed to use halters or collars in the show ring.
- 8. Touch up clipping is allowed
- 9. This is a Blow and Go Show for All Species NO paint, glue, powders, adhesives, etc. are allowed

10. This class is for does only.

11. There will be three classes.

- Class 1 August thru October 2020
- Class 2 May thru July 2020
- Class 3- February thru April 2020

GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING GOAT - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING GOAT – Buckle

Premium Schedule Each Breeding Goat Class will be paid as follows: 1st Place \$40.00 2nd Place \$30.00 3rd Place \$20.00 4th Place \$10.00

DIVISION IV - MARKET GOATS

Superintendents: Levin Ainsworth

Time: 4:00 p.m. Immediately following breeding doe show, Thursday, January 28, 2021 Judge: Marvin Ensor

SPECIAL RULES

1. Entry fee - \$20.00 per animal.

2. All market goats must have a Hill County Fair tag or be State Validated by October 19, 2021.

3. Wethers only may be shown in the market division.

4. All entries must have tipped horns and be castrated

5. This division is open to any breed or crossbred goat.

6. Market goats: minimum weight 50 pounds

7. Each exhibitor will be allowed to weigh only one goat during weigh-in process.

8. There will be no tooth rule.

9. Goats will be shown slick with no more than 1/4 inch of hair on any part of

the body except the switch of the tail and legs from the knee and hock down.

10.Classes will be divided into a light, medium, and heavy weight divisions.

11.One market goat entry per exhibitor. An exhibitor may tag as many goats as he/she chooses.

12.Restraint: Exhibitors will be allowed to use halters or collars in the show ring.

13.Touch up clipping is allowed.

14 This is a Blow and Go Show for All Species - NO paint, glue, powders, adhesives, etc. are allowed

15. Only animals placing in the top 75% of each class will be eligible to sell (NO rounding).

LIGHT, MEDIUM, AND HEAVY DIVISION CHAMPIONS – Buckle LIGHT, MEDIUM, AND HEAVY DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPIONS – Buckle

GRAND CHAMPION MARKET GOAT – Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET GOAT - Buckle

JR. & SR. GRAND AND RESERVE SHOWMANSHIP - Buckles (breeding and market goats will show together for showmanship)

DIVISION V - BREEDING SWINE

Superintendent: Sherry Hueske and Tiffany Nors Time: 8:00 am, Thursday, January 28, 2021 Judge: Mike Fisher

SPECIAL RULES

1. Entry fee - \$20.00 per animal.

2. All breeding gilts MUST be tagged with either a Hill County Fair Validation tag or a State validation tag by November 30, 2020.

3. Gilts may only show in the breeding class. No gilts will show in the market division.

4. Judging for 20 or more entries will be split into heats.

5. Breeding swine must be removed from grounds after judging.

6. There will be a designated wash area. No washing of swine in individual pens.

7. All Breeding Swine must be on the grounds by Wednesday, January 27, 2021 at 4:00 pm

8. Breeding Swine will check in at 4:00 pm, Wednesday, January 27, 2021 prior to market barrow weigh in.

9. Touch up clipping is allowed

10. Oiling or powdering of swine is not allowed.

Class - Females 9 months and under

GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING SWINE - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING SWINE- Buckle $\begin{array}{c} \mbox{Premium Schedule} \\ \mbox{Each Breeding Swine Class will be paid as follows:} \\ 1^{st} \mbox{Place $40.00} \\ 2^{nd} \mbox{Place $30.00} \\ 3^{rd} \mbox{Place $20.00} \\ 4^{th} \mbox{Place $10.00} \end{array}$

DIVISION VI – MARKET SWINE

Superintendent: Sherry Hueske and Tiffany Nors

Time: 8:00 am, Thursday, January 28, 2021 immediately following gilt show Judge: Mike Fisher

SPECIAL RULES

1. Entry fee - \$20.00 per animal.

2. Market swine will be barrows only. No gilts will be allowed to show in the market division.

- 3. All market barrows must be validated with a Hill County Fair tag or be state validated by November 30, 2020. Ear notches and breed will be documented on county validation paperwork for all swine validated for the Hill County Fair.
- 4. Market swine must weigh a minimum of 150 pounds. There is no maximum weight.
- 5. There will be a designated wash area. No washing of swine in individual pens. No clipping on the grounds.
- Only one market swine entry per exhibitor. An exhibitor may tag as many swine as he/she chooses, but may only weigh-in one market swine on one occasion.
- 7. Barrows sifted from the Market Division must be removed from show grounds immediately.
- Swine will be weighed and divided into weight classes with a maximum of 15 (+ or-) per class. There will be a light, medium, and heavy weight divisions.
- 9. Oiling or powdering of swine is not allowed.

10.Touch up clipping is allowed

11.Only animals placing in the top 75% of each class will be eligible to sell (NO rounding).

12.Grand and Reserve Division Champions will be allowed back to their assigned pens until called for Overall Grand Drive.

LIGHT, MEDIUM, AND HEAVY DIVISION CHAMPIONS – Buckle LIGHT, MEDIUM, AND HEAVY DIVISION RESERVE CHAMPIONS – Buckle

> GRAND CHAMPION MARKET SWIINE - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARKET SWINE- Buckle

JR. & SR. GRAND AND RESERVE SHOWMANSHIP – Buckles (Breeding and market swine will show together for showmanship)

DIVISION VII - RABBITS

Superintendent: Griff Harris

Time: 8:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 26, 2021 – In place for weigh-in (Livestock Barn Arena)

11:00 a.m. Rabbit Show followed by showmanship

Judge: TBD

SPECIAL RULES

1. ALL MARKET AND BREEDING RABBITS WILL BE VALIDATED. Validation will be held January 7, 2021 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Hill County Fair Grounds, Validation Fee

- a.) \$5.00 per meat pen and breeding rabbit
- b.) Existing tattoos will be recorded for breeding rabbits. If no tattoo is present, the Hill County Fair tattoo symbol and a number will be placed in the ear of the rabbit and recorded for validation purposes

2. Entry fee - \$20.00 per meat pen (three rabbits).

- 3. Rabbits will be judged according to ARBA rules and standards.
- 4. Meat pen will consist of 3 rabbits, all the same breed and variety. Pen will be eliminated if more than one breed or variety is in the same pen. Age limit is not over 10 weeks or 70 days. Max weight 5 ½ lbs. per rabbit. The Pen will be disqualified if a rabbit in the pen weighs over 5 lbs. 10 oz.
- 5. Breeding rabbit Entry fee is \$20.00. Bucks or does can be shown in the breeding division.
- 6. There is no limit on entries per person. Each exhibitor can sell only one pen.
- 7. Only animals placing in the top 75% of each class will be eligible to sell (NO rounding).
- 8. Rabbits with ear mites will be disqualified

GRAND CHAMPION MEAT PEN - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MEAT PEN – Buckle

Class - Breeding Doe (Meat) 3.5 - 6 lbs. Class - Breeding Doe (Meat) over 6 lbs. - 8.5 lbs. Class - Breeding Doe (Meat) over 8.5 lbs. Class - Breeding Buck (Meat) 3.5 - 6 lbs. Class - Breeding Buck (Meat) over 6 lbs. - 8.5 lbs. Class - Breeding Buck (Meat) over 8.5 lbs. Class - Breeding Doe (Fancy) under 6 months Class - Breeding Doe (Fancy) 6 months and older Class - Breeding Buck (Fancy) under 6 months Class - Breeding Buck (Fancy) of months and older

GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING RABBIT - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING RABBIT- Buckle

Premium Schedule Each Breeding Rabbit Class will be paid as follows: 1st Place \$40.00 2nd Place \$30.00 3rd Place \$20.00 4th Place \$10.00

Jr. and Sr. Grand and Reserve Showmanship - Buckles (Breeding and meat pen will show together for showmanship)

DIVISION VIII - BROILERS

Superintendent: Bill Woody

Time: 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, January 26, 2021 move in the barn

4:00 p.m. Broiler Show

Judge: James Barbee

SPECIAL RULES

1. Entries open to all exhibitors eligible under current stock show rules.

- 2. Only one pen of three broilers will be sold per exhibitor.
- 3. Entry fee \$20.00 per pen of three birds.

4. Broilers must originate from same breeding hatch and must be wing banded and have met the pullorum/typhoid requirements of NPIP

- 5. A pen, consisting of three birds.
- 6. After entries have been cooped, they must not be handled by anyone except the judge and authorized persons until all judging is completed. County Agents, leaders, and Ag Science teachers will be responsible for having holders at judging. Otherwise, broilers may not be considered for premiums.
- Basis for judging will be the amount and quality of covering, muscle development, lack of breast blisters, pin feathers and bruises.
- Each pen of chickens must have a combined weight of 12 lbs. or more. Class 17 – Broilers (all)
- 9. Exhibitors must turn in wing band numbers at the time of check-in.

10.All band numbers will be checked by superintendent at the time of placing.

11.Only animals placing in the top 75% of each class will be eligible to sell (NO rounding).

GRAND CHAMPION BROILER - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BROILER – Buckle

Jr. and Sr. Grand and Reserve Showmanship Buckles

DIVISION IX - STEERS

Superintendents: Shane Metcalf Time: 9:00 a.m. - Friday, January 29, 2021 Judge: Gary Clayton SPECIAL RULES

1. ALL CATTLE IN PLACE THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2021 BY 1:00 p.m.

2. STEERS WILL WEIGH IN THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2021 FROM 1:00 P.M.-2:00 P.M.

- 3. Only steer calves will be entered in this show. Pure bred, grade or cross bred of any recognized beef breed is eligible.
- 4. Steers within each market division, 5 or less animals will constitute 1 class.
- 5. Each exhibitor must fill out an entry card on each individual steer. Entry fee \$20.00 per animal.

6. Steers will be weighed and placed in their proper class according to weight and breed.

7. This is a Blow and Go Show for All Species - NO paint, glue, powders, adhesives, etc. are allowed

- 8. Touch up clipping is allowed
- 9. Minimum weight on steers 900 lbs.

10. Only animals placing in the top 75% of each class will be eligible to sell (NO rounding).

11. No loading out of cattle or equipment until all cattle shows are completed.

AMERICAN BREEDS

- Class Light weight steers
- Class Medium weight steers
- Class Heavy weight steers

AMERICAN BREED CHAMPION - Buckle AMERICAN BREED RESERVE CHAMPION – buckle

BRITISH BREEDS - Must show purebred characteristics

- Class Light weight steers
- Class Medium weight steers
- Class Heavy weight steers

BRITISH BREED CHAMPION - Buckle BRITISH BREED RESERVE CHAMPION – Buckle

EUROPEAN BREEDS

- Class Light weight steers
- Class Medium weight steers
- Class Heavy weight steers

EUROPEAN BREED CHAMPION - Buckle EUROPEAN BREED RESERVE CHAMPION – Buckle

GRAND CHAMPION STEER - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STEER - Buckle

JR. & SR. SHOWMANSHIP - Buckle

STEERS BRED AND BORN IN HILL COUNTY

GRAND CHAMPION BORN & BRED STEER - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BORN & BRED STEER - Buckle

Hill County Born & Bred Steer Show Rules

To be eligible to enter you must have the breeder of the animal complete the Hill County Born & Bred Verification Form stating that the animal was born and bred in Hill County. All forms will be turned in at the time entries are due. The Born & Bred Steer Show will begin immediately following the completion of the Steer Show.

Steers will be split into American & American Cross, British and European & European Cross Divisions. There will be one class per division and the judge will select the Champion and Reserve Champion of each division. After division judging is complete all Champions and Reserve Division Champions will return and compete for Overall Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Hill County Born & Bred Steer.

DIVISION X - BREEDING HEIFERS

Superintendents: Brooke Booth

Time: 30 Minutes After Steer Show- Friday, January 29, 2021

Judge: Gary Clayton

- 1. All breeding heifers must be at least 6 mos. of age. Entry fee \$20.00 per animal.
- Exhibitors may enter a Born & Bred Heifer Class.
- 2. Animal must be owned by exhibitor prior to October 27, 2020.
- 3. Animals in this division may or may not be registered. All heifers must be State Validated or be tagged with a Hill County Fair tag no later than October 27, 2020.
- 4. Non-registered heifers will show in the European Class.
- 5. This is a Blow and Go Show for All Species NO paint, glue, powders, adhesives, etc. are allowed
- 6. Touch up clipping is allowed
- 7. Cow/calf pairs must be shown with natural calf.
- 8. No loading equipment or animals at north end of show barn during steer and heifer shows.

9. All breeding heifers must be in barn by 1:00 p.m. Thursday, January 28, 2021.

AMERICAN BREEDS

- Class 1 Calved 5/1/20 and after
- Class 2 Calved 1/1/20 thru 4/30/20
- Class 3 Calved 9/1/19 thru 12/31/19
- Class 4 Calved 5/1/19 thru 8/31/19
- Class 5 Calved 1/1/19 thru 4/30/19
- Class 6 Calved 9/1/18 thru 12/31/18

AMERICAN BREED CHAMPION - Buckle AMERICAN RESERVE BREED CHAMPION - Buckle

BRITISH BREEDS

- Class 1 Calved 5/1/20 and after
- Class 2 Calved 1/1/20 thru 4/30/20
- Class 3 Calved 9/1/19 thru 12/31/19
- Class 4 Calved 5/1/19 thru 8/31/19
- Class 5 Calved 1/1/19 thru 4/30/19
- Class 6 Calved 9/1/18 thru 12/31/18

BRITISH BREED CHAMPION - Buckle BRITISH RESERVE BREED CHAMPION – Buckle

EUROPEAN BREEDS

- Class 1 Calved 5/1/20 and after
- Class 2 Calved 1/1/20 thru 4/30/20
- Class 3 Calved 9/1/19 thru 12/31/19
- Class 4 Calved 5/1/19 thru 8/31/19
- Class 5 Calved 1/1/19 thru 4/30/19
- Class 6 Calved 9/1/18 thru 12/31/18

EUROPEAN BREED CHAMPION – Buckle EUROPEAN RESERVE BREED CHAMPION - Buckle

GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING HEIFER – Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BREEDING HEIFER – Buckle

JR. & SR. GRAND AND RESERVE SHOWMANSHIP – Buckles

Premium Schedule Each Breeding Heifer Class will be paid as follows: 1st Place \$40.00 2nd Place \$30.00 3rd Place \$20.00 4th Place \$10.00

HEIFERS BORN AND BRED IN HILL COUNTY

GRAND CHAMPION BORN AND BRED HEIFER - Buckle RESERVE CHAMPION BORN AND BRED HEIFER – Buckle

Hill County Born & Bred Heifer Show Rules

To be eligible to enter you must have the breeder of the animal complete the Hill County Born & Bred Verification Form stating that the animal was born and bred in Hill County. *The breeder on the registration papers must be a resident of Hill County.* All forms will be turned in at the time entries are due. The Born & Bred Heifer Show will begin immediately following the completion of the Heifer Show.

Heifers will be split into American, British and European divisions. They will show all ages in one class per division and the judge will select the Champion and Reserve Champion of each division. After division judging is complete all Champions and Reserve Division Champions will return and compete for Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Hill County Born & Bred Heifer.

DIVISION XI - HORSES

Superintendents: Hank Campbell, Sharon Campbell Time 9:00 a.m. - Saturday, January 30, 2021 Judge: TBD SPECIAL RULES

1. Entry Fee - \$20.00

- 2. Animal must be owned by exhibitor prior to October 15, 2020.
- 3. Registered and non-registered animals are eligible. Horses must be of Quarter Horse, Arabian type or draft.
- 4. Any horse may be denied entry in the show ring, if in the opinion of the Superintendent and Horse Show Committee the animal is not in show shape or dangerous to the safety of other contestants.
- 5. A negative Coggins Test is required for all horse entries.

Class - Junior Mares (5 years and under) Class - Senior Mares (6 years and over)

> GRAND CHAMPION MARE - Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MARE – Buckle

Class - Junior Geldings (5 years and under)

Class - Senior Geldings (6 years and over)

GRAND CHAMPION GELDING – Buckle RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION GELDING - Buckle

JR. & SR. GRAND AND RESERVE SHOWMANSHIP - Buckles

Premium Schedule Each Class will be paid as follows: 1st Place \$40.00 2nd Place \$30.00 3rd Place \$20.00 4th Place \$10.00