



AG MECHANICS PROJECT SHOW

1. Entries are subject to the Tom Green County Livestock Show General Rules and Regulations and to the Special Rules in this section. Where Special Rules conflict with other rules, Special Rules prevail.
2. **Eligible Entries** – Project exhibited must have been constructed by FFA or 4-H members. Entry must have been completed within the last twelve months, and must not have been previously shown in the Tom Green County Livestock Show. Prefabricated or Kit Projects will not be permitted.
3. **Ownership** – Projects may have been individually or group constructed and may be individually or chapter owned. Individual entries must be exhibited by the student having the primary role in construction. Projects will be shown by the individual or group who manufactured the project.
4. **Exhibit Space** – Location will be determined by the division superintendent.
5. **Project Presentation** – All projects must be painted or properly treated and must be clean and in a presentable condition by check-in even though they may have been used.
6. **Plans and Bill of Materials** – An original, exhibitor drawn or CAD plan and a bill of materials must accompany the student at the time of preliminary judging.
7. **Safety** – Appropriate and safe display stands must be provided for gates, panels and other projects that need support. Sharp edges and points are to be padded or covered as necessary to prevent injury.
8. **Projects incorrectly entered will be moved to the most appropriate class by the superintendent.**
9. **Judging System** – The following system will be used in judging the project. Projects will be judged on:

Criteria	Points
a. Workmanship	30
b. Design and Material Use	20
c. Interview	10
d. Practicality	10
e. Degree of Difficulty	10
f. Finish	10
g. Plans and Bill of Material	10

10. Divisions & Classifications:

A. Metal Works

- 1) Livestock Equipment
 - a) Gates
 - b) Chutes
 - c) Feeders
 - d) Other
- 2) Farm, Home and Yard Conveniences
 - a) Grills/Fire pits
 - b) Trailer Smoker
 - c) Furniture
 - d) Other
- 3) Trailers
 - a) Bumper Pull
 - b) Gooseneck
 - c) Feeders
- 4) Shop Equipment
 - a) Tables
 - b) Tools
- 5) Wildlife
 - a) Traps
 - b) Stands/Feeders
 - c) Other
- 6) Tractor Restoration
 - a) Pre 1964
 - b) Post 1964

B. Wood Works

- 1) Livestock Equipment
 - a) Feeders
 - b) Gates
- 2) Farm, Home and Yard Conveniences
 - a) Single Piece
 - b) Multi Piece

11. Prizes: To be Determined

ALL ENTRIES (**FORMS ONLY**) MUST BE RECEIVED IN TGC EXTENSION OFFICE NO LATER THAN BY 5:00 PM, **December 20th, 2018**. Any late entries will be accepted with double the entry fee (\$20 each project).

Large/Heavy Projects – Exact date, time & place for unloading – TBD
Smaller projects will be brought to the Wells Fargo Pavilion during same time.

All projects must be picked up after 7:00 PM on Saturday, January 12th.