



MARKET SWINE

ENTRY FEE \$30.00



Division Members: Chair: Marvin Martin (936) 559-3894; John Michael Mehaffey (806) 790-4330
Judge: Leo Canales

Entries Close:	Saturday, June 24, 2023	6:00 AM - 9:00 AM
Validation:	Saturday, June 24, 2023	6:00 AM - 9:00 AM
Arrival:	Wednesday, October 11, 2023	1:00 PM
Weight Cards Due:	Wednesday, October 11, 2023	4:00 PM
Judging:	Thursday, October 12, 2023	6:00 PM
Premium Sale:	Saturday, October 14, 2023	6:00 PM

RULES & REGULATIONS

- 1) All entries will be subject to the General Rules & Regulations of the Junior Livestock Show.
- 2) Exhibitor must be a bona fide Nacogdoches County 4-H, Jr. FFA, or FFA member, be continuously enrolled in or entering the 3rd through 12th grade of a public K12 or private school in Nacogdoches County, from the required date of validation through the conclusion of either the PWF or NCSS; or, be home schooled and reside within the boundaries of a Nacogdoches County school district and be continuously enrolled in or entering the 3rd through the 12th grade from the required date of validation through the conclusion of either the PWF or NCSS.
- 3) All entries must be under the care of and fed by the exhibitor from validation through the end of the show.
- 4) All entries must be either a gilt or barrow.
- 5) All swine must have been validated on Saturday, June 24, 2023 at the Nacogdoches County Expo between 6:00 - 9:00 am. Exhibitors may validate multiple animals; however, only (1) swine per exhibitor may be brought to the show grounds.
- 6) Exhibitors are responsible for turning in weight card by 4:00 pm on Wednesday, October 11, 2023. Validation forms will be checked on Wednesday, October 11, 2023 from 3:00-4:00 pm. They will be classed and sifted by weight. Swine must weigh 240 - 290 lbs.; Swine will be sifted by weight and classes will be divided as evenly as possible by weight.
- 7) The weight submitted at check-in will become the animal's official declared weight to be used for weighing back.
- 8) Natural color and/or pattern of swine may not be altered.
- 9) A minimum of four (4) top placing swine in each class will be weighed following the class. Any swine with weights **more than 10 pounds below** the official declared weight will be disqualified. Any swine that weighs **more than 10 pounds above** the official declared weight will be disqualified.
- 10) Judging begins at 6:00 pm on Thursday, October 12, 2023 concluding with the selection of Grand & Reserve Champions followed by the sale order selection of class winners and other remaining placing premium sale swine. All swine with the exception of Grand & Reserve will be released on Friday, October 13, 2023 at 10:00 am.
- 11) Showmanship Divisions (Ages are as of the day of the show):

Junior: 13 years and Under
Senior: 14 years and Over
Pee Wee: 8 years and Under and not entered in this show

Each exhibitor must exhibit his/her entry in Showmanship Classes, Pee Wee must use a swine exhibited in the show.

- 12) The Premium Sale will be held Saturday, October 14, 2023 at 6:00 pm. Grand and Reserve Champion swine ONLY will need to be present for the premium sale. All other lots will be the exhibitor only.
- 13) A market resale will not be held; each exhibitor is responsible for the resale of their animal and for the care of their animal until it reaches final destination. All animals must be removed from fairgrounds by noon Sunday, October 15th.
- 14) Market animals selected for a drug test must complete the test immediately following the sale order selection on Thursday, October 12, 2023.
- 15) Shavings must be purchased from the Nacogdoches County Expo Center. No other type of bedding will be allowed.
- 16) Swine will be disqualified if: a) ear notch differs from validation form, b) description of swine differs from validation form, c) exhibitor fails to provide proper documentation and signatures on validation form.

--AWARDS--

Grand & Reserve Champion ~ Belt Buckle & Banner

Showmanship (Junior & Senior Division) ~ Belt Buckle for Grand & Reserve Champion per Division

Ribbons awarded based on decision of the Judge