Detailed exhibitor information will be posted at www.kansasstatefair.com by June 1. Exhibitors should carefully read and review all general rules and livestock requirements, and rules pertaining to each area entered. Grand Drive entries are due JULY 15, 2015.

- **Schedules**
  - Barns scheduled to open **Thursday, September 10 at 4:00 p.m.**
  - Goat check-in
  - Beef, Sheep, Swine check in
  - **Friday, 9 a.m. – noon**
  - **Friday, 9 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

- **Showmanship – Friday, September 11**
  - Senior showmanship followed by junior showmanship in all species
  - Meat Goat showmanship 1:00 p.m.
  - Swine showmanship 2:30 p.m.
  - Sheep showmanship 4:00 p.m.
  - Beef showmanship 5:30 p.m.

- **Crossbred market hogs**
  - Crossbred market hogs will be combined into one division. All crossbreds will show together, separated by weight into 3 divisions – Light Weight, Middle Weight and Heavy Weight - with classes split evenly at the discretion of the Swine Show Manager.

- **Purebred 4-H/FFA market hog show**
  - The 2015 hog show will continue to be a pedigree show.
  - Hog classes are as follows: Duroc, Hampshire, Yorkshire, Dark AOB (Spotted, Poland China, Berkshire), Light AOB (Landrace and Chester White), and Crossbred.
  - “Any purebred barrow/gilt that fails the DNA tests for stress gene, parentage verification or breed purity will forfeit all premiums and awards sponsored by the NSR and Team Purebred. Showmanship standings, however, will not be affected by failed test results. These results will be published by the NSR with pedigrees being pulled from all females.”
• To better accommodate the increasing number of entries, an additional division will be added to the meat goat show.

• The fee for late entries to the Grand Drive has been increased from $10/head to $25/head.

• **Touch-up clippers for sheep and goats is allowed.** New rule is stated as follows:

  Lambs must be slick shorn with uniform wool length not to exceed .20 inch from knee and hock joints up at time of arrival. There will be no shearing of sheep allowed on any part of the grounds. Touch up clipping with scissors, hand shears, and cordless clippers is allowed. No blocking/trim tables are permitted for sheep anywhere on the grounds. Violation will result in disqualification of animal.”

  Same verbiage for meat goats, except .375 inch trim, and reference to meat goats.

• **Registration numbers for breeding animals in youth livestock shows MUST be listed on entry forms.**

• **Updated the horn rule on meat goats:**

  Current rules states: “HORNS: Goats are suggested to be dehorned. However, if horns are left they must be clipped and rounded.”

  New rule: “Goats are suggested to arrive without horns. If horned, the horns must be tipped and rounded (not less than the diameter of a dime at the end). Tipping and removal of horns is not allowed on the grounds and will result in disqualification.”

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