Shawnee County Spring Livestock Show
May 6th, 2023
**At Stormont Vail Event Center
Domer Livestock Facility **
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Topeka, KS 66612

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Sponsored by: The Shawnee County 4-H Livestock Committee
Entries must be postmarked April 21st, 2023

Schedule of Events
(No animals will be accepted on Friday May 5th)
Saturday, May 6th
Scales & Check-ins Open and Start at 7:30am.
8:30am Beef Weigh-in cards due & Bucket Calf check-in
9:30am Bucket Calf 4-H Show
Beef Show will start at 10:00 am or immediately after the conclusion of the Bucket Calf Show
10:30am Sheep Weigh-in cards due at check-in
12:30pm Goat Weigh-in cards due at check-in
2:30pm Swine Weigh-in cards due at check-in
Sheep Show will start no earlier than 12:00pm or 30 min following the Beef Show
Goat Show will start no earlier than 2:00 pm or 30 minutes following the Sheep Show
Swine Show will start no earlier than 4:00pm or 30 minutes following the Goat Show

General Rules

1. Show is open to 4-H and FFA members who are between the ages of 7-18 as of January 1, 2023. Parents or other adults may only assist in feeding, leading, or haltering of animals. Exhibitors should do their own work, but may be assisted by other exhibitors. Custom fitters will not be permitted to do any feeding or fitting of animals and violation of this rule May 6th disqualify the exhibitor.
2. Spring show will follow any and all county Mask Mandates as of the time of Show.
3. Social Distancing is recommended everywhere. This includes the Show ring, Audience, Prep area, and Holding stalls.
4. Showmanship is free provided each exhibitor is entered in a breed class. No exceptions.
5. **SHAVINGS ONLY for pens/stalls and all bedding. Must provide your own.**
6. **Please do not use pens to place tack in. We have a limited amount of space available for livestock.**
7. Pens and Stalls are limited; pens and stalls are first come first serve. Exhibitors may show off trailers. (use of stalls is subject to change)
8. **Entry fees are $20 for Bucket Calf, Meat Goat, Sheep & Swine. Entry Fees for Beef are $25.**
9. **After April 21st, all entry fees increase by $10.**
10. All animals must be owned by the exhibitor as of May 6th. All species, except bucket calves, are required to have 4-H tags, Premise ID Tags or Scrapie’s Tags.

11. All animals currently residing in Kansas must be free of clinical signs of infestations or contagious disease. A negative Pseudorabies and Brucellosis test are **not** required for Kansas residing livestock. No health certificate or blood test is needed in 2023 for any livestock project. **Health papers required for animals not residing in Kansas.**

12. All exhibitors entered in Shawnee County classes must be members of Shawnee County 4-H or Shawnee County FFA and show their own animal. No entry fees required for these classes and only 1 entry per exhibitor. All breeds show together.
13. **Exhibitors may only show their own animal.** Another exhibitor may show their animal only if that exhibitor has a conflict with 2 animals showing at the same time. **No extra classes will be held in any species.**

14. All persons who attend or participate in the show do so at their own risk. The Shawnee County Extension Council and Shawnee County Livestock Committee assumes no liability for any accidents that may occur. The Shawnee County Extension Council and Shawnee County Livestock Committee assumes no liability for loss or injury of livestock due to theft, mysterious disappearance, sickness, or act of God.

15. All animals must be in proper physical condition, be properly identified and free of visual evidence of infectious, contagious, or parasitic disease at the time of arrival. Animals showing signs of sickness, infections, contagious or parasitic disease will result in the animal’s rejection for entry. The superintendent has the right to disqualify animals if they are bleeding from recent disbudding or tipping.

16. Exhibitors who abuse an animal will be barred from showing and will forfeit any premiums, ribbon, or prizes won. The word abuse includes beating, slapping, use of injection or using electric prods.

17. Spring Show Directors reserve the right to make decisions addressing questions not covered in the list of rules.

18. Due to the size of the shows, **TWO CALLS PER INDIVIDUAL** in a class will be announced. After that the classes will be closed and judging will begin.

19. All classes of one breed will be shown before moving to the next breed.

20. **The purpose of this show is to provide an educational experience for youth in the 4-H/FFA programs.**
Spring Bucket Calf Show
Check-In by 8:30am, Saturday May 6th, 2023
Show Time: 9:30am Saturday May 6th, 2023
**At Stormont Vail Event Center; Domer Livestock Facility**

The barns do not open until 7:00 a.m. on Saturday May 6th. Do not plan on getting in earlier than 7am.

Rules and Regulations:

1. Exhibitors must be 4-H members age 7 to 12 as of January 1, 2023.
2. Entry fee is $20.00 per head. There will be no refunds. Entries need an April 21st or earlier postmark. Entries postmarked after April 21st will have a late fee of $30.00.
3. Show day entries will close after 8:30AM.
4. A Bucket Calf is defined as an orphan or newborn calf, male or female, dairy, beef or cross, fed on a bucket or bottle. **Bull calves need to be castrated prior to the show.**
5. Identification and tagging is not required for out of county bucket calves. Shawnee County participants must have Shawnee County required tags.
6. Bucket Calves must be tied up, no pens allowed.
7. The Bucket Calves will enter the show ring washed, trimmed and combed only and will tie to the outside of the ring. Exhibitors will fit all animals in the show ring. If calves enter the show ring with any fitting already done, they will be disqualified. These classes require the 4-H’er to do all the work. The 4-H’er will be asked questions about their knowledge of their Bucket Calf by the judge. 4-H’ers then will lead and show their calf.
8. 4-H’ers should recognize that not only is their calf being judged, they are being judged on their presentation of themselves.
9. Judging will be done on the basis of:
   a. 50% - on knowledge the 4-H’er has gained from caring for and raising the calf.
   b. 25% - handling and showing of the calf and how well the calf responds.
   c. 25% - Cleanliness and general health of the calf and knowledge of 4-H’er in health-related areas.
10. All calves must be born after January 1, 2023.
11. Classes are subject to change if 3 or more animals are not entered into a class

**Bucket Calf Division:**

01: 4-Hers ages 10-12 (Calf born January 1 to February 28)
02: 4-Her ages 10-12 (Calf born March 1-May 1)
03: 4-Hers ages 7-9 (calf born January 1 to February 28)
04: 4-Hers ages 7-9 (calf born March 1- May 1)
Spring Beef Show
Weigh in cards due by 8:30am, Saturday, May 6th
Show Time 10:00 a.m. or immediately following bucket calf show, Saturday, May 6th
**At Stormont Vail Event Center; Domer Livestock Facility**

The barns do not open until 7:00 a.m. on Saturday May 6th. Do not plan on getting in earlier than 7am.

Rules and Regulations:
1. Entry fee is $25.00. Failure to pre-enter classes by April 21 will constitute a late registration fee of $35.00. Entries must carry a postmark of April 21 or earlier to qualify for regular entry.
2. Show day entries will close after 8:30AM. Scales will be open at 7:30AM and all weigh in cards must be turned in by 8:30AM. Absolutely NO EXCEPTIONS.
3. Steer classes may be divided by weight if crowded conditions exist in the ring.
4. Breeding animals will lead into the ring by age, youngest to oldest in class.
5. Judge’s decision will be final and will place animals shown on their quality compared to the breed standard.
6. All disputes or rule violations will be settled by the Beef Show directors.
7. The Kansas Animal Health Department and Shawnee County Extension requires no test and no health papers on cattle of Kansas origin. Heifers originating from other states and 18 months of age or older must meet the requirement listed in the Kansas Animal Health Department guidelines. Cattle determined by exhibition staff to have lesions of ringworm, warts or infested with mange will not be permitted to exhibit.
8. Registration papers will be required for heifers in order for them to show in a breed class at all Shawnee County sponsored shows. Animals must be owned by the 4-H’er or their immediate family by May 6th, 2023. Any female not having registration papers will show in the commercial/crossbred heifer class. For breeding heifers and steer classes there will be 5 established breed classes: Angus, Hereford, Limousin, Shorthorn and Simmental. Breeding heifer classes will be split by breed and birthdate. Market Heifers will show as AOB unless there are 3 or more head of a breed pre-entered.
   **Please be aware that State Fair and other shows may differ on rules from those of Shawnee County.**
9. No Market animals allowed to show if born before January 1, 2022. No females allowed to show if born before August 1, 2021.
10. For the safety of all persons attending the show, please have all cattle manageable.
11. The Beef Show Directors reserve the right to decide any questions not covered in this list of rules.
12. Bucket Calf entries may not be entered in the Beef Show.

Breeding Beef Division
01: Heifers born after August 1 of Last year

Beef Showmanship Division
02: Senior Showmanship (15 +; 4-H & FFA)
03: Intermediate Showmanship (10-14 yrs)
04: Junior Showmanship (7-9 yrs)

Market Beef Division
05: Prospect Market Steers (shown by Breed)
08: Market Heifers (all breeds in one class)

Shawnee County 4-H/FFA Division
20: Heifers shown by a SN Co 4-Her or FFA member
21: Prospect Market Steers shown by a SN Co 4-Her or FFA member
Spring Sheep Show

Weigh In cards due by 10:30am, Saturday May 6th, 2023
Show Time: Saturday May 6th; no earlier than 12:00pm or 30 minutes after the Beef Show,
**KANSAS NE HERITAGE COMPLEX, Holton, KS**

The barns do not open until 7:00 a.m. on Saturday May 6th. Do not plan on getting in earlier than 7am.

Rules and Regulations:

1. Entry fee is $20.00 per head. There will be no refunds. Failure to pre-enter classes by April 21 will constitute entry charged Show Day of $30.00 per head. Showmanship is free, as long as you are entered in one state-wide class. Entries must carry a postmark of April 21 or earlier to qualify for pre-entry.
2. Show Day entries are due 10:30am. Scales will be open at 7:30AM and all weigh in cards must be turned in by 10:30AM. Absolutely NO EXCEPTIONS.
3. Prospect Lambs are to have wool no longer than 2/10 inch in length at show time or will be disqualified.
4. No Breeding Classes will be held in 2023.
5. The judge’s decision will be final and will place animals shown on their quality compared to the breed standard.
6. ALL LAMBS MUST BE IDENTIFIED WITH AN OFFICIAL USDA PREMISE ID TAG. This is per current State of Kansas regulations.
7. Classes will be broken by weight prior to the beginning of the show.
8. No artificial color will be allowed on the animal.
9. Either wethers or ewe lambs may be shown in Market Classes (No Rams)
10. All sheep must have an official 4-H ear tag or scrapie’s tag in their ear by May 6th, 2023 or provide breed registration papers in the exhibitor’s name.
11. All sheep must show as entered.
12. Exhibitor must show their own lamb in showmanship.

Sheep Showmanship Division
01: Senior Showmanship (15+)
02: Intermediate Showmanship (10-14 yrs)
03: Junior Showmanship (7-9 yrs)

Market Lamb Division
04: Prospect Markets Lamb (class divided by weight)

Shawnee County 4-H/FFA Division
22: Prospect Market Lamb shown by a SN Co 4-Her or FFA member
Spring Meat Goat Show

Weigh In cards due by 12:30 pm, Saturday May 6th
Show Time: Saturday, May 6th, no earlier than 2:00pm or 30 Min after Sheep Show
KANSAS NE HERITAGE COMPLEX, Holton, KS

The barns do not open until 7:00 a.m. on Saturday May 6th. Do not plan on getting in earlier than 7am.

Rules and Regulations:

1- Exhibitor may enter no more than 2 goats per class.
2- Entry fee is $20.00 per head. There will be no refunds. Entries need an April 21st or earlier postmark. Entries postmarked after April 22nd will have a late fee of $30.00. Show day entries close at 12:00pm.
3- NO TACK PENS ALLOWED.
4- Show Day entries are due 10:30am. Scales will be open at 7:30AM and all weigh in cards must be turned in by 10:30AM. Absolutely NO EXCEPTIONS.
5- All goats must be owned by the 4-H’er by May 6th, 2023 and verified by tattoo, official 4-H ear tag, or scrapie’s tag.
6- All goats must have a USDA premise ID tag to show, per current State of Kansas regulations, unless registered by the breed association. Bring breed association papers to check-in.
7- Exhibitors must be neatly and appropriately attired.
8- Wethers can be dehorned, but if horns are left they should be tipped and rounded. Does can have horns.
9- Exhibitors may exhibit only 1 animal in Fitting and Showing and it must be the project of the exhibitor. Pygmy and meat breeds will show against each other in fitting and showing classes.
10- Prospect market goats may be either sex and must have milk teeth and be castrated if male.
11- Registered animals must be in the name of the exhibitor or the farm.
12- Any does over 24 months of age that has not kidded and cannot prove a current pregnancy will not be allowed to show and will be disqualified.
13- Goats must be shown with all four feet on the ground. BRACING is allowed in all classes. Exhibitors may use a collar, a collar with a short lead, or a halter when showing. Medium/3mm or smaller pinch collar will be allowed. Superintendent has the right to disqualify violators.
14- Cutoff date for any age computations regarding class breaks is May 6th, 2023 for classes 4M-12M.

Goat Classes: The cutoff date for age computations is May 6th, 2023

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Shawnee County 4H/FFA Division
23: Breeding Does shown by SN Co 4-Her or FFA members
24: Prospect Market Goat shown by SN Co 4-Her or FFA member
Spring Swine Show

Weigh In cards due by 2:30pm, Saturday May 6th
Show Time: No Earlier than 4:00pm or 30 minutes after the Goat Show
NE AREA HERITAGE COMPLEX, Holton, KS

The barns do not open until 7:00 a.m. on Saturday May 6th. Do not plan on getting in earlier than 7am.
Entry Deadline: Friday April 22nd, 2023

Rules and Regulations:

1. All Swine must have a 4-H ID tag, premise ID tag, or some form of identification by May 6th, 2023.
2. 4-H Age is the exhibitors age on January 1st, 2023.
3. Swine will be shown by breeds. Gilts and barrows will show together and will be separated by weights. All swine MUST be weighed upon arrival by exhibitor and turn in a weigh card at check in.
   All shows are judged as “Prospect Shows” & left to the judge’s opinion.
4. All males must be castrated.
5. Entry fee is $20.00. Failure to pre-enter classes by April 21 will constitute a late registration fee of $30.00. Entries must carry a postmark date of April 21 or earlier to qualify for regular entry.
6. Show Day entries will close at 2:30PM. Scales will be open at 7:30AM and all weigh in cards must be turned in by 2:30PM. Absolutely NO EXCEPTIONS.
7. Number of head per class will be maximum 10 per class.
8. Pens will be available on a first come first serve basis. Pens and Stalls will cost $7. A portion of Stall fee goes to a Shawnee Co. 4-H Club for cleaning. Exhibitors may choose to show off trailer.
9. Judge’s decision will be final and they will place animals shown on their quality compared to the breed standard.
10. No minimum or maximum weights.
11. Hogs must be owned & shown by exhibitor WITH NO ASSISTANCE. (no tag-along)

Swine Showmanship Division
01: Senior Showmanship (15+)
02: Intermediate Showmanship (10-14 yrs)
03: Junior Showmanship (7-9 yrs)

Shawnee County 4H/FFA Division
25: Prospect Markets Swine shown by SN Co 4-Her or FFA member

Market Swine Division
05: Duroc
06: Hampshire
07: Yorkshire
08: Berkshire
09: Chester/Landrace
10: Spot/Poland
11: Light Crossbred
12: Dark Crossbred

For special requirements due to a physical, vision, or hearing disability, or a dietary restriction please contact Grace Wiens, 785-232-0062, 112.