

95th
South Mississippi Junior Livestock Show
Sponsored by
South Mississippi Fair
Laurel, MS
October 17-25, 2014

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Friday, October 17	7:00 a.m.-Noon –Beef Breeding, Commercial Heifers and Steers Arrival and Weigh-In Deadline
Saturday, October 18	9:00 a.m.-Commercial Heifer and Steer Show; Beef Showmanship followed by Beef Breeding Show
Tuesday, October 21	9:00 a.m.-Noon-Market Lamb, Market Hog Arrival, Market Market Goat, and Commercial Doe 3:30 p.m.-Market Hog Show, Market Lamb Show, Commercial Doe Show, Market Goat Show (Showmanship will Take place first)

Early bird registration for all Livestock Exhibits is October 1st 2014. Entry Deadline is October 10, 2014. NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER OCTOBER 10, 2014. Please Make Check Payable to South Mississippi Fair Commission (SMFC). All Livestock Shows are open to the entire state. This is an MCCA sanctioned show.

**SOUTH MISSISSIPPI FAIR
LIVESTOCK SHOW**

LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS

Early bird registration for all Livestock Exhibits is **Tuesday, October 1, 2014 and will be \$5.00. Mail entries to Jones County Extension Service, P.O. Box 448, Laurel, MS 39441 on a 195 Livestock Form. Entry Deadline is October 10, 2014 with a \$15.00 entry fee. Make Checks Payable to South Mississippi Fair Commission (SMFC). No late entries will be accepted after October 10, 2014.** For a complete list of show rules and regulations, contact your local County Agent's office or the Jones County Extension Service at 601-428-5201 or e-mail at jones@ext.msstate.edu.

All beef cattle shall be accompanied by an Official Health Certificate showing cattle originating from an accredited Tuberculosis Free Herd or from non-quarantined herd in a Modified Accredited tuberculosis area. This health certificate must also show that the cattle have been vaccinated for Brucellosis and/or are from a non-quarantined herd.

All breeding animals must be registered to show. Exception: Commercial beef. Registration papers must be in the exhibitor's name.

Showmanship awards will be given to youth in: Beef, Sheep, Swine, Goats, and Rabbits.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The South Mississippi Fair reserves to itself the sole and absolute right to interpret its own rules and regulations and to determine all matters and differences in regard thereto.

1. This show is open to any 4-H and FFA member between the ages of 8-19 as of January 1. All livestock shows are open to youth in Mississippi.
2. All livestock entries must be pre-registered on Livestock Exhibit Entry form 195. **Entry forms must be submitted to the Jones County Extension Service, P. O. Box 448, Laurel, MS 39441, no later than October 10, 2014. Make checks payable to South MS Fair Commission (SMFC).**
3. All breeding animals competing for prizes must be registered in the exhibitors name in the recognized herd book of the breed. Original registration papers must be presented to the Superintendent when entries are checked. No premium will be paid where the names and registration numbers are not properly entered.

4. Exhibitors entered in the livestock show agree to follow the “Livestock Quality Assurance” set forth by the State 4-H Livestock Show. All steers, sheep, and commercial heifers will show in the same breed as set forth at the time of classification.
5. Blocking chutes will be allowed in designated areas only.
6. Exhibitors must inform themselves when their stock is to be judged and must be in the show ring promptly after calling of class. Animals not in the ring at show time may be ruled from competition.
7. Each exhibitor is expected to show his or her entries unassisted except when prevented by illness or because of having more than one entry in the same class. In such cases, another youth may be substituted. Show Superintendent must be informed of substitutions prior to an animal entering the arena.
8. Where there is no competition only one premium will be paid on any one animal and that premium may be 1st, 2nd, or 3rd, in accordance with the ruling of the judge. The class winner will be allowed to compete in the Championship Drive.
9. Exhibitors must be able to control their animals in the show ring at all times. Otherwise, they shall be excused from the ring in consideration of safety and fairness to themselves and other exhibitors. Animals must show reasonable amount of fitting and grooming to be eligible for prizes. Beef cattle must show at halter.
10. All bulls must be shown with a nose lead. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
11. Exhibitors are responsible for the care and attention of their animals. Exhibitors are also responsible for maintaining the appearance of the aisle and related areas immediately adjacent to their exhibits. Failure to comply with this rule may result in revocation of premium or premiums earned.
12. Exhibitors, parents, advisors, and agents will not be allowed to have dogs in the Livestock Barns. Failure to comply may result in revocation of all premium earned.
13. Any exhibitor needing the services of a veterinarian will call the one of his choice and be responsible for such call.
14. **The South MS Fair Commission recommends that all trailers be parked in the designated area at the Airport. The owner of the trailer is responsible for the trailer and possessions. The Airport and the South MS Fair Commission, or the Jones County Extension Service is not responsible for any lost or stolen possessions. However, you may park in the lot adjacent to the Magnolia Center on the North End. In the event that the lot adjacent to the Magnolia Center on the North End is needed for additional parking, the trailers parked in the lot will be towed at the owner’s expense. Please note in the event the lot adjacent to the Magnolia Center on the North End will be utilized, the Jones County Extension Staff and South MS Fair Commission Staff are not responsible for locating the owners of the trailers. If you choose to park in the lot adjacent to the Magnolia Center on the North End, you will do so at your own risk.**

15. All breeding animals entering this show are required to meet the following health requirements.

CATTLE: Cattle originating from Mississippi will require an Official Health Certificate only. These cattle are exempt from Brucellosis and Tuberculosis tests.

MARKET ANIMALS: An Official Health Certificate shall accompany all market animals with each animal individually identified and be apparently free of any contagious, infectious, or communicable disease.

SWINE: All swine shall be accompanied by an official health certificate. All swine must be individually identified on the health certificate. Swine must originate from herds that have not had an infectious or communicable disease within the past 90 days prior to movement and this statement must be written on the health certificate.

GOATS: All goats shall be accompanied by an official health certificate and shall comply with the following:

- A. Originate from herds that are not quarantined for any contagious or communicable disease.
- B. Free of scabies, lice and foot rot.

PASS POLICY

In an effort to more adequately serve the needs of livestock exhibitors, their parents, and sponsors, and to thoroughly clarify the position of the South Mississippi Fair Commission, the following policy relative to season passes has been adopted.

Each livestock exhibitor will receive 1 exhibitor and 2 parent entrance passes at no charge for the day(s) he/she has animals checking in or showing. Daily Admission to the Fairgrounds is \$5.00. Special Note: (Brother/Sister or Brother/Sister joint entries will receive one exhibitor pass for each youth and one parent pass for each parent).

The purpose of the pass policy is that each parent will have admission to the fair for the days their child is checking in or exhibiting livestock!

Exhibitors, parents, and sponsors agree to accept and abide by this policy by virtue of their entering livestock in the fair. Failure to comply with this policy may result in the dismissal of an individual's or group's livestock and revocation of premiums earned.

JUNIOR COMMERCIAL HEIFERS
Check-in Friday, October 17, 2014 7:00am- Noon
Show time –October 18, 2014 9:00 am

Lots – English, European, Brahman

*Three classes divided by weight or as equal as possible

Class:

1. Lightweight Heifers
2. Mediumweight Heifers
3. Heavyweight Heifers
4. Grand Champion Commercial Heifer
5. Reserve Grand Champion Commercial Heifer
6. Grand Champion MCCA Commercial Heifer
7. Reserve Grand Champion MCCA Commercial Heifer

Commercial Heifer Premiums: 1st-\$40; 2nd-\$35, 3rd-\$25; 4th-\$20; 5th-\$15

No Premiums will be given to the MCCA champion winners.

Heifers will be weighed on the official show management scales by designated show committee members. There will be no re-weighs. Commercial heifers must weigh at least 500 lbs.

STEER SHOW
Check-in Friday, Oct. 17, 2014 7:00 a.m.-Noon
Show time – Saturday, Oct. 18, 2014
(Following Commercial Heifer Show)

Steer Show will include only a Progress Steer Show. Steers will be weighed on the official show management scales by designated show committee members. There will be no re-weighs. Steers must weigh at least 500 lbs.

Lots – English, European, Brahman

*Three classes divided by weight or as equal as possible

TO FOLLOW STATE FAIR RULES ALL STEERS MUST BE SHOWN SLICK SHEARED.

Progress Steer Classes:

1. Lightweight Steers
2. Mediumweight Steers
3. Heavyweight Steers
4. Grand Champion Progress Steer
5. Reserve Grand Champion Progress Steer
6. Grand Champion MCCA Progress Steer
7. Reserve Grand Champion MCCA Progress Steer

Steer Premiums: 1st-\$40; 2nd-\$35; 3rd-\$25; 4th-\$20; 5th-\$15

No Premiums will be given to the MCCA champion winners.

Beef Showmanship
Check-in Friday, Oct. 17, 2014 7:00 a.m.-Noon
Show time – Saturday, Oct. 18, 2014
(Following Steer Show)

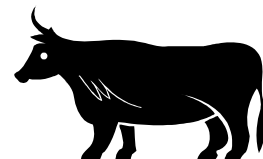
BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

Lot 1 – Lead-in (Under 8 yrs)	Lot 6, 12 years old
Lot 2 – 8 years old	Lot 7, 13 years old
Lot 3 – 9 years old	Lot 8, 14 years old
Lot 4 – 10 years old	Lot 9, 15 years old
Lot 5 – 11 years old	Lot 10, 16 years old
	Lot 11, 17-18 years old

Beef Breeding
Check-in Friday, October 17, 2014 7:00 am- Noon
Show time-Saturday, October 18, 2014
Following Showmanship
Will be released by Show Manager

Class:

1. Late junior bull calves, calved after Mar. 1, 2014
2. Early junior bull calves, Jan. 1-Feb. 28, 2014
3. Winter bull calves, Nov. 1-Dec. 31, 2013
4. Senior bull calves, Sept. 1-Oct. 31, 2013
5. Summer yearling bulls-May 1-Aug. 31, 2013
6. Junior yearling bulls-Jan. 1-April 30, 2013
7. Senior yearling bulls-Sept. 1-Dec. 31, 2012



CHAMPION BULL
RESERVE CHAMPION BULL

8. Late junior heifer calves, calved after Mar. 1, 2014

9. Early junior heifer calves-Jan. 1-Feb. 28, 2014
10. Winter heifer calves, Nov. 1-Dec. 31, 2013
11. Senior heifer calves, Sept. 1-Oct. 31, 2013
12. Summer yearling heifers-May 1-Aug. 31, 2013
13. Late junior yearling heifers-Mar. 1-April 30, 2013
14. Early junior yearling heifers-Jan. 1-Feb. 28, 2013
15. Senior yearling heifers, Sept. 1-Dec. 31, 2012

**CHAMPION
RESERVE CHAMPION HEIFER**

Beef Premiums: 1st-\$40; 2nd-\$35; 3rd-\$25; 4th-\$20; 5th-\$15

**** Jones County Beef Exhibitors shall not leave with cattle until all surrounding counties have left, unless amended by the Show Manager. If Jones County Exhibitors leave before designated time, he/she will forfeit all premium money.**

JUNIOR MARKET HOG SHOW

Weigh-in will be Tuesday, October. 21, 2014 9:00 a.m.-Noon

**Show: Tuesday, October 21, 2014 at 3:30 pm
(Showmanship, Market Hog Show)**

SHOWMANSHIP

1. Lead-in (Under 8 years of age)
2. 8-13 years of age
3. 14-18 years of age

Class:

1. Lightweight
2. Mediumweight
3. Heavyweight

Grand Champion
Reserve Grand Champion

Hog Show Premiums-1st-\$25; 2nd-\$20; 3rd-\$15; 4th-\$10; 5th-\$5

***Hog Exhibitors will be released after the Hog Show.**

JUNIOR MARKET LAMBS

Check-in-Tuesday, October 21, 2014 9:00 a.m-Noon

LAMB SHOW-Immediately following Hog Show

******* All Lambs will be shown by weight. *******

Class (Three classes divided by weight)

1. Lightweight
 - Champion
 - Reserve Champion
2. Mediumweight
 - Champion
 - Reserve Champion
3. Heavyweight
 - Champion
 - Reserve Champion
4. Grand Champion
5. Reserve Champion

SHOWMANSHIP

1. Lead-in (Under 8 years of age)
2. 8-13 years of age
3. 14-18 years of age

Market Lamb Premiums: 1st-\$25; 2nd-\$20; 3rd-\$15; 4th-\$10; 5th-\$5

* Lamb exhibitors will be released after the Lamb Show

COMMERCIAL DOE SHOW & MARKET GOAT SHOW

Check-in by Tuesday, October 21, 2014 9:00 a.m.-Noon

Show: Tuesday, October 21, 2014 following the Lamb Show (will begin with showmanship followed by Commercial Doe Show and Market Goat Show

This Show is open to any 4-H and FFA Youth in Mississippi

MARKET GOAT & COMMERCIAL DOE SHOWMANSHIP

1. Lead-in (Under 8 years of age)
2. 8-10 years of age
3. 11-13 years of age
4. 14-16 years of age
5. 17-18 years of age

The show will have a Lightweight, Mediumweight, and Heavyweight classes. Weight Breaks will be left to the Show Management which may add a class if needed in order to ensure an equal and fair break is shown. Each division will have a champion and reserve champion.

Class:

1. Lightweight
Champion & Reserve Champion
2. Mediumweight
Champion & Reserve Champion
3. Heavyweight
Champion & Reserve Champion

Grand Champion
Reserve Grand Champion

Market Goat & Commerical Doe Premiums: 1st-\$25; 2nd-\$20; 3rd-\$15; 4th-\$10; 5th-\$5