

Coryell County Youth Fair 2026

January 12-17,
2026

ALL entries will be completed online!

See page 10 in this book.

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Important Dates

September 1, 2025 – October 31, 2025	Must enroll as a 4-H (via 4-H Online), FFA or FCCLA member to be eligible to participate in CCYF	
November 2-15, 2025	CCYF Membership, Fair Entries Completed & Submitted Online	
November 15, 2025 (Saturday)	5:00pm	ALL ENTRIES DUE ONLINE! Including Pee Wee
January 12, 2026 (Monday)	9:00 am	Check-In for Horse Show
January 13, 2026 (Tuesday)	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Check-In of all Home Economics; Including Pee Wee
January 14, 2026 (Wednesday)	10:00 am - 5:00 pm	Judging of Home Economics
	5:00 pm	Home Economics Open to Public
	7:00 pm	Baked goods released to Exhibitors except Grand and Reserves
January 15, 2026 (Thursday)	8:30 am – 5:00 pm	Home Economics Open to the Public
January 16, 2026 (Friday)	8:30 am – 5:00 pm	Home Economics Open to the Public
	5:00 pm	Release of All Home Economic Projects
January 17, 2026 (Saturday)	Auction Day	
	10:30 am 	Home Ec. Grand/Reserve Newspaper Photo
	11:30 am – 12:30 pm 	Home Ec. Grand/Reserve Auction Photos & Auction Item Check In
	4:00 pm 	CCYF Auction

Exhibitors must participate in a Clean Up event, or \$100 will be deducted from fair check
** See “Auction Rules” on Page 11 #5 for more details. **

ENTRY DEADLINE - NOVEMBER 15, 2025
ALL FORMS MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE BY NOVEMBER 15, 2025, AT 5:00 P.M.
TO AVOID LATE FEES

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Officials of Livestock Show

Swine Superintendents	Dustin Shuffler/Jim Gardner
Sheep Superintendents	Than Foote
Angora Goat Superintendents	Than Foote
Beef Superintendents	Andy James
Poultry Superintendents	Paula Powell
Rabbit Superintendents	Kathy Brase/Brittani Shephard/Brittany Romero
Goat Superintendents	David Alvarado /Kyle Matthews
Dairy Goat Superintendent	Coleman Martin/Cooper Sutton
Horse Superintendents	Becky Coward

Youth Fair Auctioneer

Keith Turner

Coryell County AgriLife Extension

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Officials of the Home Economics Show

General Superintendents	Jana Jones/Stephanie Hester
Sewn Apparel, Needlework & Textiles	Donna Berry
Art	Julie Matthews/Emily Coward
Handicrafts	Jamie Jackson/Nicole Shonkwiler
Preserved Foods	Della Altum
Baked Goods	Gail Shelton
Photography	Tracy Coursey

Livestock Show Judges

Halter Cattle	Connor Hardy
Commercial Cattle	Dawson Dietrich
Swine	Josh Elkins
Sheep	Connor Hardy
Market & Commercial Goats	Clint Demmit
Angora Goats	Dale Nauman
Dairy Goats	Kimberly Fullen
Rabbits - Breeding	Jennifer Schimpf
Rabbits – Market & Showmanship	John Terry
Poultry	Kailey Kulhanek
Horse	Emma Brunson

CCYF Information and Rule Book can be located on the website, along with updates or date changes.

2026 Show Calendar

Thursday, January 5, 2026

5:00 p.m. Commercial Cattle Weigh in at Coryell County Commission Company

Monday, January 12, 2026

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m..... All rabbit entries can be unloaded into barn at Gatesville Civic Center

9:00 a.m. Check-In for Horse Show

9:30 a.m. Horse Show Judging Begins

10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Weigh/Classify Rabbit

Tuesday, January 13, 2026

9:00 a.m. Rabbit Show: Judging commences in the following order:
..... Meat Pens, Fryers, Breeding Rabbits, Showmanship - Sr. then Jr.

 10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Check-In for Ag Mechanics

 11:00 a.m..... Judging/Interviews for Ag Mechanics Show

12:00 p.m. Record Books for Commercial Cattle
..... MUST BE TURNED IN TO **THE FAIR BOARD OFFICE**

5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m..... All Home Economic Entries must be brought to the Civic Center
..... NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER 8:00 PM

5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m..... Pee Wee Home Economic Check-in

Wednesday, January 14, 2026

10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Judging of Home Economics

12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m..... All other livestock entries can be unloaded into Complex Pavilion

5:00 p.m. Home Economics Open to the Public

5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m..... Weigh/Classify Sheep

6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m..... Weigh/Classify Market Goats/Commercial Does

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Classify and Check-in Dairy Goats, at pen.

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m..... Weigh/Classify Market Steers/Check Heifers

6:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Classify and Check-in Angora Goats, at pen.

7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Weigh/Classify Swine – Will call to the scales by breed.

Thursday, January 15, 2026

8:30 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. The Home Economics Division is open to the public.



10:00 a.m. Dairy Goat Show: Judging commences in the following order:
..... Senior, Junior - Doe/Billie then Showmanship to follow Sr. then Jr.

10:00 a.m. Judging/Interviews for Commercial Cattle



1:00 p.m. Judging commences in the following order:
..... Halter Classes: Breeding Heifers, Market Steers, Showmanship
..... Senior then Junior

Approximately 3:00 p.m. Judging of Angora Goats, followed by Showmanship, Sr. then Jr.

Following the Angora Show Judging commences in the following order:



Approximately 5:00 p.m. Breeding Sheep, Market Lambs, Sr. then Jr. Showmanship

Friday, January 16, 2026

8:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. Home Economics Open to Public



9:00 a.m. Poultry Check-In

10:30 a.m. Judging commences in the following order:
..... Poultry – Broilers, Roasters, Turkey, Sr. then Jr. Showmanship

Following Poultry Show Goat Show: Judging commences in the following order:

Approximately 1p.m. Commercial Goats, Market Goats, Showmanship - Sr. then Jr.

Following Market Goat Show..... Release of Livestock auction items except for Swine which will be.
..... released after the Swine Show

4:00 p.m. Swine Show: Judging commences in the following order.
..... Breeding Swine, Market Swine

Prior to Swine Showmanship..... Coryell County 4-H Greased Pig Contest (2nd Graders Only)

Following the 4-H Greased

Pig Contest..... Senior then Junior Swine Showmanship

5:00 p.m. Release of all Home Economic and Pee Wee Entries

By 8:00 pm on Friday night, exhibitors who have Home Economics and/or Livestock winning entries must designate their Sale item for the Auction in writing! The Sales Committee will make the decision if a designation is not made.

Saturday, January 17, 2026

9:30 a.m. Pee-Wee Rabbit Show
..... (Check in 9:00 a.m.)

10:00 a.m. Pee-Wee Goat Show/Lamb
..... (Check in 9:00 a.m.)

 10:30 a.m. Home Economics pictures for Newspaper (Grand & Reserve ONLY)
..... and all Home Economic Auction Photos.

 11:30 a.m. All Home Economic auction items including freshly baked goods.
..... should be placed on the Auction exhibit table.

 4:00 p.m. Announcements, Auction Dedication ceremony and Special awards

 4:30 p.m. AUCTION SALE – immediately following auction all items are.
..... released.

Pictures must be taken BEFORE the Auction

Coryell County Youth Fair
General Rules
VIOLATORS OF RULES ARE SUBJECT TO
DISQUALIFICATION

1. All exhibitors will be under the control of the Board of Directors who will use diligence to ensure the safety of all exhibits and to protect against loss or damage done or acquired while on the grounds of the show. Entries removed without written release from the superintendent of the appropriate divisions will be fined \$250.00.
2. No claim or suit of injury to any person or property shall be asserted against the show or its sponsors, its officers, or agents, by any person, firm, or corporation or their agents, representatives, servants, or employees having permits to exhibit or occupy space on the grounds of the show.
3. Capable judges will be selected to judge all entries. THE DECISION OF THE JUDGES WILL BE FINAL! No one except judges and authorized personnel will be allowed in the judging areas while judging is in progress. No immediate family member of any Home Economic exhibitor will be selected as a judge for the Home Economic Division to ensure fairness and no conflict of interest.
4. Disqualification of an entry in Home Economics can only be made by all the General Superintendents and at least 2 Fair Board Directors/Officers. Disqualification of an entry in livestock can only be made by the Superintendent and at least 1 Fair Board Director/Officer.
5. Exhibitor Eligibility:
 - A. All exhibitors must meet two (2) of the three (3) following criteria:
 - a. Be a bona fide FFA, FCCLA, or 4-H member in Coryell County (in good standing) as of November 1, 2025
 - b. Be enrolled in public or private school, including Jonesboro ISD, in Coryell County by September 1, 2025.
 - c. Live in Coryell County and be a bona fide 4-H member of Coryell County (in good standing) by November 1, 2025.
 - B. In addition, each exhibitor must be a member in good standing with Coryell County Youth Fair, Inc. Dues are \$5.00 per exhibitor and \$5.00 per parent/guardian per household and all exhibitors must be sponsored by at least one parent/guardian. The Eligibility of transfer students enrolling in public or private schools in Coryell County after September 1, 2025, will be handled on an individual basis at the discretion of the Board of Directors. All livestock of transferring students must meet eligibility rules.
 - C. Under a Texas Education Ruling, a student can be declared ineligible to compete in the Coryell County Youth Fair. If a student is considered ineligible by TEA or UIL, that student's project is also ineligible and may not be entered in the Fair. Home school students will be required to show proof of eligibility prior to Fair Week. If an exhibitor becomes ineligible anytime during the Fair, the Project is eliminated from activity.
 - D. Members showing in any other county youth fair are not eligible to show in the Coryell County Youth Fair.
 - E. Exhibitors must show their own animal unless the individual is showing more than one animal in the class. Those individuals not showing that animal must submit a written reason why they are not showing, and it must be approved by the Board of Directors prior to the show.
 - F. An exhibitor eligible for the premium sale and unable to attend the sale must submit for Board approval a written statement that designates a substitute showman to exhibit the project for the sale. The substitute must meet all the requirements as listed above and already be a bona fide CCYF participant.

6. Any protest must be in writing and be filed with a \$100 cash protest fee to the Board within 24 hours following the show. If your protest is approved by the Board, the cash will be refunded. If you lose the protest, you forfeit the fee.

7. ALL entries will be completed online. All exhibitors must pay online, NO forms or money will be taken at the Civic Center or Extension Office. You will be able to begin online entries November 02, 2025 – November 15, 2025, at www.coryellyouthfair.com

Late entries start November 16, 2025, at 12 am and will be accepted online until 5 pm on November 30, 2025. As a penalty all entry fees will double!!!

8. Entry Fees:

- A. **Home Economics** - \$5.00 per exhibit (limit 15 entries)

- B. **Livestock** –

Commercial cattle \$15.00

Market Steers/Breeding Heifers \$15.00

All Swine, Sheep, and Goats \$10.00

All Poultry \$8.00

Meat Pen Rabbits \$18.00

Breeding Rabbits & Fryers \$6.00

Horse Halter \$15.00

All other Horse \$8.00

- C. **Pee Wee** –

Pee Wee Goat/Lamb Showcase - \$10.00

Pee Wee Rabbit Showcase - \$10.00

Pee Wee Home Economics – No Entry Fee but entries MUST be submitted online by the deadline!

Premium Money – All premium money will be paid out of the monies collected as dues to Coryell County Youth Fair, Inc. This money will be used exclusively for this purpose. A minimum amount of \$20.00 must be earned to receive a check.

- A. Home Economics: Premium money will be figured on a point system as follows:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
All Divisions	6	5	4	3	2	1
Grand Champion Rosette	2					
Reserve Champion Rosette	1					
Best of Show Rosette	2					

- B. Livestock: Premium money will be paid through the first six (6) places only and will be determined by the premium money available.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
All Divisions	6	5	4	3	2	1
Grand Champion	2					
Reserve Champion	1					

9. NO PETS ARE ALLOWED IN SHOW BARN – No animals, other than those registered for exhibition or used as service animals, will be allowed in the Show Barn or Civic Center during the Youth Fair.
10. Disruptive and rude behavior will not be tolerated. Exhibitors, their families, and guests are expected to be respectful of others and their properties. Board members, officers, or any adult leaders who witness disruptive behavior may ask that person(s) to leave the premises; failure to do so may lead to legal action.

Premium Auction Rules
4:00 p.m., January 17, 2026
Livestock and Home Economics Division

An exhibitor eligible for the premium sale and unable to attend the sale must submit, for Board approval, a written statement that designates a substitute showman (who meets all the requirements to show as listed in the General Rules) to exhibit the project for sale.

A commission of 2.5% will be deducted from each item sold (including premium sale and add-ons). This sum will be added to the general fund of the Coryell County Youth Fair, Inc.

All youth who sell in the auction and/or win awards are required to write a thank-you note to their buyer/award sponsor.

Checks for premium money and auction money will be available to exhibitors at the general meeting. To receive your auction check, you must present your thank you notes at the GENERAL MEETING. Thank you note must be in an envelope which is stamped, addressed, and ready to mail.

Exhibitors may start removing their animals at the designated time on Friday and will be responsible for disposition.

1. Exhibitors may auction only one exhibit. (Livestock or Home Economics)
 - a. The livestock auction is officially a premium sale. Exhibitors will continue to own the item and may dispose of it as they wish.
 - b. Home Economics items will transfer ownership to the Buyer. The exhibitor shall be responsible for the care and delivery of their Home Economics items to their destination as determined by the buyer.
2. The following will be eligible for auction:
 - a. All Grand & Reserved Grand Champion Market Animals
 - b. 50% of each market class not to exceed 6th place (excluding GC and RC)
 - c. Grand & Reserve Champions in breeding stock (along with 4 Breed Division Champions in Beef Heifer Show and 8 Breed Division Champions in Rabbits)
 - d. All Grand & Reserve Champion in Home Economics for each age division
 - e. Overall GC High Point Horse (Senior & Junior divisions) (Overall RC may roll up only if GC in that age division is ineligible to sell.)
 - f. Items are ineligible if they have been in the Sale in previous years.
3. **By 8:00 pm on Friday night, exhibitors who have Home Ec. and/or Livestock winning entries must designate their Sale item for the Auction in writing or the Sales Committee will make the decision if a designation is not made. The Board of Directors will compute the sale list after the Swine Show on Friday. If you want to know if you made the sale, please check with the Fair Office at 11:45am on Saturday.**
4. **It is mandatory all Exhibitors who make the Sale must have their picture taken before the auction (preferably by 8pm Friday night). Swine immediately following swine show. Home Economic entries that make the sale must be taken by 2pm Saturday.**
5. **All Livestock Exhibitors must clean your pen area by Saturday before the auction. If you are selling a Home Economic item, you must help set up the auction area Saturday morning before and after pictures are taken. Or \$100.00 will be deducted from your check.**

Livestock Special Rules & Regulations

1. Each exhibitor may show only 6 entries in the livestock division (excluding horses).
2. All livestock will be shown in the show ring except commercial market cattle.
3. Entries not meeting the requirements of the Superintendent will be barred from the show. Any visible parasites will bar the animal from being shown and that animal must be removed from the show barn immediately.
4. Failure to keep pens or stalls properly clean at all times will mean the forfeiture of any prize money earned. This will be checked daily by the Superintendent.
5. Ribbons will be awarded for 1st through 6th place and premium money will be paid subject to the \$20 minimum rule.
6. All animals will be weighed at the appropriate check-in time by the division Superintendent.
7. Directors shall have the power to make the final decisions on all rules.
8. No animal may be shown more than once per year at the county show.
9. Arrival time on Livestock – See show calendar. No livestock other than rabbits will be allowed on premises prior to 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 14, 2026.
10. Exhibitors are required to feed and water their own animals according to State and Federal requirements.
11. No hay for bedding can be used. Only wood shavings are allowed. Shavings will be for sale at the fairgrounds.
12. Showmanship ages will be as follows: (as of show date)
 - a. LIVESTOCK
 - i. Junior: age 12 and under
 - ii. Senior: age 13 and over
 - b. HORSE:
 - i. Junior: 3rd – 8th Grade
 - ii. Senior: 9th – 12th Grade
13. All Livestock Judges will be posted in the CCYF Rule Book on the website once selection has been made.
14. Livestock project(s) must be raised and cared for within the county or school district that the exhibitor lives in.
15. Superintendents will designate pens for all livestock. Pens and stalls will be grouped by clubs and chapters on Tuesday night prior to shows. No pen decoration until after noon on Wednesday. Pen assignments are final unless permission is given by the Superintendent.
16. All sexually intact sheep must have Scrappies tag according to Texas Animal Health Commission.
17. ALL ANIMALS (breeding, market, commercial & dairy) MUST BE PHYSICALLY VALIDATED! Specific dates are listed in each livestock division rules.

Sheep Show

Superintendent:.....Than Foote 254-248-4241

Validation:October 27, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. at the Gatesville Civic Center

Arrival:Wednesday, January 14, 2026; 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Show Date:.....Thursday, January 15, 2026; 5:00 p.m. or following Angora Show

Release Date:Friday, January 16, 2026, Following Market Goat Show

1. All sheep must have been owned by the exhibitor on or before the validation date. All sheep, breeding, and market must be validated.
2. Superintendents will tag, weigh, and classify.
3. Market lambs must weigh in from 5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 14, 2026
4. All market lambs must be slick shorn by the day of show.
5. Classes will be determined by the number of entries received.
-  6. Minimum weight: 80lb (3lb weight tolerance)
7. All sexually intact sheep must have Scrappies tag according to Texas Animal Health Commission.
-  8. No Painting of any kind.

Breeding Classes: No registration papers are required.

Fine wool ewe (baby)	
Fine wool ewe (2 tooth, yearling, or any adult teeth)	
Champion Fine Wool Ewe	(BANNER)
Fine wool ram (baby)	
Fine wool ram (2 tooth a yearling, any adult teeth)	
Champion Fine Wool Ram	(BANNER)
Southdown ewe (baby)	
Southdown ewe (2 tooth and yearling, any adult teeth)	
Champion Southdown Ewe	(BANNER)
Southdown Ram (baby)	
Southdown Ram (2 tooth and yearling, any adult teeth)	
Champion Southdown Ram	(BANNER)
Medium wool ewe (baby)	
Medium wool ewe (2 tooth and yearling, any adult teeth)	
Champion Medium Wool Ewe	(BANNER)
Medium Wool Ram (baby)	
Medium Wool Ram (2 tooth and yearling, any adult teeth)	
Champion Medium Wool Ram	(BANNER)

Hair Sheep ewe (baby)	
Hair Sheep ewe (2 tooth and yearling, any adult teeth)	
Champion Hair Sheep Ewe	(BANNER)
Hair Sheep Ram (baby)	
Hair Sheep Ram (2 tooth and yearling, any adult teeth)	
Champion Hair Sheep Ram	(BANNER)
Overall Grand & Reserve Champion Ewe	(BANNER & BUCKLE)
Overall Grand & Reserve Champion Ram	(BANNER & BUCKLE)

Market Classes:

Fine wool market lambs	
Champion & Reserve	(BUCKLE)
Fine wool cross market lambs	
Champion & Reserve	(BUCKLE)
Southdown market lambs	
Champion & Reserve	(BUCKLE)
Medium wool market lambs	
Champion & Reserve	(BUCKLE)
Hair Sheep	
Champion & Reserve	(BUCKLE)
Grand & Reserve Champion Market Lambs	(BANNER & BUCKLE)

Beef Cattle Show

Superintendent:.....Andy James 254-223-3056

Validation:Market: June 23, 2025

.....Commercial: August 18, 2025, 5:30 pm at Coryell County Commission Company

.....Heifers: October 27, 2025, 5:00 p.m. at Gatesville Civic Center

Arrival:Wednesday, January 14, 2026, after 12:00 pm – 5:00 p.m.

Record books:Tuesday, January 13, 2026, by 12:00 pm at FAIR BOARD OFFICE

Show Date:.....Thursday, January 15, 2026, 10:00 a.m. - Commercial

Show Date:.....Thursday, January 15, 2026, 1:00 p.m. - Heifer, Steers

Release Date:Friday, January 16, 2026

Rules for 2026 Heifer & Market Steer Show

1. At validation, registration papers or proof of ownership with ID info shall be required for breeding beef heifers and tattoos and/or brands will be recorded. Exhibitors shall have possession and be responsible for the animal by October 27, 2025. Non-registered heifers can show as breeding stock if they comply with ownership deadlines.
2. Market steers must be owned by June 2025.
3. Cattle must be brought to show barn, January 14, 2026, 6:00-7:00 p.m. to be weighed and classified. You must bring appropriate paperwork at that time.

Commercial Cattle Feeding and Management Show

This show was designed to give exhibitors an opportunity to participate in a practical beef production program, typical of the beef cattle feeding industry in Texas. The feeding period will be approximately 150 days. The contest will be a 4-phase competition. Live animal evaluation (50%), record book contest (10%), Calculations exam (10%), and interview (30%). Record books will begin with initial weigh in. See examples for Record Book entries and questions at the end of the Rule Book.

Rules for 2026 Commercial Cattle Show

- A. Ownership deadline is August 18, 2025. The initial weigh-in will be on this date from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. at the Coryell County Commission Company. At this time record books will be distributed; ears will be tagged, and cattle will be photographed (if necessary). The final weigh in date will be January 5, 2026, at 5:00 PM at the Coryell County Commission Company.
- B. ALL cattle will be given an RFID ear tag at initial weigh-in.
- C. An entry consists of 1 animal, a steer.
- D. Exhibitors may weigh in as many individual animals as they wish on August 18, 2025.
- E. Animals must weigh between 1,000 and 1,600 pounds on final weight on Monday, January 5, 2026
- F. Cattle need not be halter broken. However, no wild or unruly animals will be accepted. Unruly cattle will be disqualified and removed from show grounds. Cattle may be halter broke but not shown in other portions of CCYF.
- G. No hair clippings of cattle will be allowed. Cattle with recent clippings will be disqualified.

- H. Cattle must be dehorned or tipped and healed prior to County Fair.
- I. All entries must complete all 4 phases of the contest.
- Livestock evaluation of cattle (50%)
 - Completion of approved record book by Tuesday, January 13, 2026 (10%) 12:00 P.M.
 - A commercial cattle calculations exam will be given on January 15th prior to interviews (10%).
 - Interviews (30%) – questions will be given in advance with record books.
 - The show will be in 2 age divisions. (Junior: 3rd-7th grade, Senior: 8th-12th grade)
 - Exhibitors will draw for an interview time slot on the morning of the show.
 - All calves will be assigned a market value on validation day.
 - Signage on pen will be limited to standard 4-H Exhibitor sign (approx. 14" x 14") and will only include exhibitor name, club, breeder, and final weight.

Breeding Divisions:

Superintendent will be allowed to set classes of heifers based on age at check-in. The maximum age will be 30 months. Classifications are set forth below.

American & American Breed Crosses: (BANNER)
Brahman, Brangus, Beefmaster, Santa Gertrudis, Simbrah, Braford Bramazine, Charbray, Star 5, and other Registered/Certified American breed type crosses. (Eligible to show at any major show as ORAB)

British Breeds (BANNER)
Angus, Hereford, Polled Hereford, Red Angus, Shorthorn. Purebred only, Percentages, show as Exotic or Unregistered.

Exotic Breeds (BANNER)
Charolais, Chianina, Limousine, Maine Anjou, Simmental, and Registered/Certified Percentages, i.e., Maine Tainer, Chi-Angus, Chi-Main, Chi-Ford, Sim Angus, LimFlex, etc. (Eligible as ORB at major show)

Non-Registered (BANNER)

Steers:

Market Steer Classes:

Market Steer classes will be broken down by weight with a minimum weight of 900 pounds. Classes will be created according to the number of entries received.

Mini Steer class will be in one weight class.

Grand & Reserve Champion (BANNER & BUCKLE)

Commercial:

Junior Commercial Cattle Class (3rd - 7th Grade)

Senior Commercial Cattle Class (8th -12th Grade)

Overall Grand & Reserve Champion (BANNER & BUCKLE)

Commercial Angora Goat Show

Superintendent:.....Than Foote 254-248-4241

Validation:July 15, 2025, Contact Superintendent for further information

Arrival:Wednesday, January 14, 2026, 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Show Date:Thursday, January 15, 2026, approx. 3:00p.m.

Release Date:Friday, January 16, 2026 (following market goat show)

1. Goats must have been owned by the exhibitor by validation date.
2. All animals must be slick shorn at validation.
3. Classes will be created according to the number of entries received.

Commercial Angora Goat Classes:

Doe Kid

Doe (2 tooth or older)

Grand Champion and Reserve Doe

(BUCKLE)

Billie kid

Billie (2 tooth or older)

Grand Champion and Reserve Billie

(BUCKLE)

Rabbit Show

Superintendents:Kathy Brase, 254-216-9199 / Brittani Shepherd, 512-281-6709

.....Brittany Romero, 254-216-2246

Validation:Breeding Rabbits – October 26, 2025

.....Market Rabbits – December 14, 2025

Arrival:Monday, January 12, 2026 - 9 a.m.

Show Date:Tuesday, January 13, 2026 - 9 a.m.

Release Date:Tuesday, January 13, 2026

TO ENTER AND SHOW RABBITS THE FOLLOWING RULES APPLY:

1. All rabbits must be validated even if they already have a tattoo. Rabbits can be tattooed at validation.
2. All rabbit entries must be entered online.



3. Meat pen rabbits must each weigh at least **3lbs 8oz. but no more than 5lbs 8oz.** They do not have to be raised from a doe owned by the exhibitor, but they must be owned by the exhibitor by the validation date. A meat pen consists of three rabbits and will be disqualified if it contains more than one breed or variety. Exhibitors should check with the Superintendent if they have any questions about breeds. Rabbits will be weighed at check-in. Depending on their classification at check-in, meat pens may be reclassified into a fryer or breeding class. However, if a meat pen meets the weight requirements, it cannot be reclassified into a fryer or breeding class—no exceptions.
4. A fryer is a single rabbit weighing a minimum of **3lbs. 8oz. a and not over 5lbs 8oz.** A fryer does not have to be raised from a doe owned by the exhibitor but must be owned by validation date. Fryers that don't make weight may re-classify to a breeding class if they meet those requirements.
5. Each Meat Pen **MUST** be selected before coming to the check-in table/official scales. Scales will be provided in the rabbit barn for pre-weighing.
6. Exhibitors will be assigned one pen for up to 3 fryers. You may bring your own carriers for penning.
7. Approximate breeding dates for market rabbits is October 5, 2025.
8. Rabbits with snuffles (discharge from nose), conjunctivitis (pinkeye), sore hocks, malocclusion, wry neck, or ear canker will be disqualified by the Superintendent and sent home. Rabbits with any of the above-listed illnesses are not allowed to be validated either.
9. Classes will be determined by the Superintendent according to the number of entries in each breed.
10. A 4-class and 6-class system will be used.
11. Exhibitors must check the posted class list Monday evening to make sure classes are correct. **NO CHANGES WILL BE MADE TO THE CLASSES TUESDAY MORNING BEFORE THE SHOW. ANY CHANGES MUST BE MADE MONDAY NIGHT.**

Rabbit Classes:

Meat Pen (3 rabbits): If there are more than 15 pens checked in the Superintendent may break the meat pen class into more than one class. This is at the superintendent's discretion.

Grand and Reserve Champion Meat Pen (BANNER & BUCKLE)



Fryer (1 rabbit): Total of 9 classes. If there are more than 60 market rabbits in a weight division the Superintendent may add additional classes.

Divisions:

Light	(BUCKLE)
Medium	(BUCKLE)
Heavy	(BUCKLE)

Grand and Reserve Champion Fryer (BANNER & BUCKLE)



4-Class: Sr. Buck, Jr. Buck, Sr. Doe, Jr. Doe
(A junior is six months and under. A senior is over six months) Each breed in each group will show separately, the first and second place of each breed will return for champion and reserve champion of the group

Group I:

English Angora

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Jersey Wooly

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

American Fuzzy Lop

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

French Angora

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Lion Head

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Silver Martins

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Grand and Reserve Champion 4 Class - Group I: (GRAND & RESERVE BANNER)

Group II:

Holland Lop

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Mini Lop

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Grand and Reserve Champion 4 Class - Group II: (GRAND & RESERVE BANNER)

Group III:

Dwarf Hoto

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Netherland Dwarf

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Polish

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Grand and Reserve Champion 4 Class - Group III: (GRAND & RESERVE BANNER)

Group IV:

Rhineland

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

English Spot

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Tan

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Britannia Petite

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Belgian Hare

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Himalayan

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Dwarf Papillion

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Blue Holicer

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Czech Frosty

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Grand and Reserve Champion 4 Class - Group IV: (GRAND & RESERVE BANNER)

Group V:

American Sable

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Standard Chinchilla

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Havana

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Lilac

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Harlequin

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Mini Satin

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Florida White

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Dutch

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Trianta

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Grand and Reserve Champion 4 Class - Group V: (GRAND & RESERVE BANNER)

Group VI:

Mini Rex

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Rex

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Velveteen Loop

Sr. Buck
Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe
Jr. Doe

Grand and Reserve Champion 4 Class - Group VI: (GRAND & RESERVE BANNER)

Overall Grand and Reserve Champion 4-Class (BANNER & BUCKLE)

Breeds that are not identified above will be put into the correct group at validation at superintendent discretion.



6-Class: Sr. Buck, Intermediate Buck, Jr. Buck, Sr. Doe, Intermediate Doe, Jr. Doe
(A junior is under six months, an Intermediate is six to eight months, a senior is over eight months) Each breed in each group will show separately, the first and second place of each group will return for champion and reserve champion of the group.

Group I:

<u>Satin</u>	<u>Californians</u>	<u>New Zealand</u>	<u>Tamuk</u>
Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck
Int. Buck	Int. Buck	Int. Buck	Int. Buck
Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe
Int. Doe	Int. Doe	Int. Doe	Int. Doe
Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe

Grand and Reserve Champion 6 Class - Group I:

(GRAND & RESERVE BANNER)

Group II:

<u>Checkered Giant</u>	<u>French Lop</u>	<u>Giant Chinchilla</u>	
Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	
Int. Buck	Int. Buck	Int. Buck	
Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	
Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	
Int. Doe	Int. Doe	Int. Doe	
Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	
<u>Hotot</u>	<u>Beveren</u>	<u>Flemish Giant</u>	
Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	
Int. Buck	Int. Buck	Int. Buck	
Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	
Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	
Int. Doe	Int. Doe	Int. Doe	
Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	
<u>Satin Angora</u>	<u>Palomino</u>	<u>Champagne D'Argent</u>	
Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	
Int. Buck	Int. Buck	Int. Buck	
Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	
Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	
Int. Doe	Int. Doe	Int. Doe	
Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	
<u>Crème D'Argent</u>	<u>Cinnamon</u>	<u>Silver Fox</u>	
Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	
Int. Buck	Int. Buck	Int. Buck	
Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	
Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	
Int. Doe	Int. Doe	Int. Doe	
Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	
<u>Giant Angora</u>	<u>American Chinchilla</u>	<u>American</u>	<u>English Lop</u>
Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck	Sr. Buck
Int. Buck	Int. Buck	Int. Buck	Int. Buck
Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck	Jr. Buck
Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe	Sr. Doe
Int. Doe	Int. Doe	Int. Doe	Int. Doe
Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe	Jr. Doe

Grand and Reserve Champion 6 Class - Group II:

(GRAND & RESERVE BANNER)

Overall Grand and Reserve Champion 6-Class (BANNER & BUCKLE)

Breeds that are not identified above will be put into the correct group at validation at superintendent discretion.

Poultry

Superintendent:.....Paula Powell

Order Date:.....Turkey – July 28, 2025

.....Roaster & Broiler – September 26, 2025

Arrival:.....Friday, January 16, 2026, 9:00a.m.

Show Date:.....Friday, January 16, 2026, Show starting at 10:30 a.m.

Release Date:Friday, January 16, 2026 (Following showmanship)

1. All poultry must be ordered through the County Extension Office to be eligible for exhibition.
NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE ALLOWED!
2. A uniform ordering date for roasters and broilers will be set by the County Extension Agent and will be sent to all 4-H leaders and Vocational Agricultural Instructors. Orders for broilers and roasters must contact the Coryell County Extension Office.
3. Poultry will arrive at the show on Friday, January 16, 2026, from 9:00 a.m. to be checked in by Superintendent.
4. Only exhibitors qualified to show at the fair can enter the show ring to assist in showing poultry unless approved by the Superintendent.
5. All birds will be wing banded at the hatchery.
6. Arrival of chicks for distribution is from the Extension Office. They will contact you when chicks arrive.

Poultry Classes:

Broilers:

Pen of 3 broilers

Grand & Reserve Champion

(BANNER & BUCKLE)

Roasters:

Roasters – Cockerels (Males)

Roasters – Pullets (Females)

Grand & Reserve Champion

(BANNER & BUCKLE)

Turkeys:

Hens

Toms

Grand & Reserve Champion

(BANNER & BUCKLE)

Market & Commercial Goats

Superintendent:.....David Alvarado 254-394-1205 & Kyle Matthews 254-206-0663

Validation:October 27, 2025 (Gatesville Civic Center) 5:00 p.m.

Arrival:Wednesday, January 14, 2026, 12:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.

Show Date:Friday, January 15, 2026 (Following Poultry Show)

Release Date:Friday, January 15, 2026 (following showmanship)

1. ALL goats must have been owned by the exhibitor on or before the validation date.
2. Market goats must be weighed in and be checked by Superintendent between 6:00 and 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 14, 2026. All market goats must weigh a minimum of 50lbs.
 - a. Only one weigh-in per animal
 - b. No wetting of animals
 - c. Animal will be designated for which exhibitor when animal is on scale.
 - d. No names will be changed on entry at any time.
3. Goats can be shown in one class only.
4. All commercial goats must be checked in and put in age classes on Wednesday, January 14, 2026. Make sure your goats are in the right classes by Thursday as there will be NO changes of classes on Friday morning. **ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS!** All breeding goats will be toothed and classified at weigh in during the market goats, weigh in.
5. Commercial goats must be brought to the table to be classified.
6. All goats (market & commercial) will need to be physically validated.
7. Market Goats must be shorn to at least 3/8 inch above the knee and hock joints to include the head, excluding the tail switch, before arrival on the fairgrounds.
-  8. No Painting of any kind.

Commercial Does:

Milk teeth (no permanent teeth visible)

2 tooth (yearlings, no more than 2 permanent teeth visible)

4 permanent teeth and over

Grand & Reserve Champion Commercial Doe

(BUCKLE)

Market Goats: (wether or does):

Light

(BUCKLE)

Medium

(BUCKLE)

Heavy

(BUCKLE)

Grand & Reserve Champion Market Goat

(BANNER & BUCKLE)

Dairy Goat

Superintendent:.....Coleman Martin 254-258-9571 Cooper Sutton 254-216-9450

Validation:.....October 27, 2025 (Gatesville-Civic Center) 5:00 –6:00 p.m.

Arrival:.....Wednesday, January 14, 2026, 12:00 pm – 8:00 p.m.

Show Date:.....Thursday, January 15, 2026 10:00 a.m.

Release Date:Friday, January 16, 2026 (following Market Goat Show) Billie's are released
.....after show

1. ALL goats must have been owned by the exhibitor on or before the validation date. All Dairy Goats MUST be physically validated.
2. No names will be changed on entry at any time. Exhibitors must be present for their animal to be shown, unless given express permission by the Board of Directors.
3. Classes will be determined according to the number of entries received. Any breed with 5 or more head may constitute a breed if determined necessary by the Superintendent. Goats can be shown in one class only.
-  4. All entries must have a tattoo, all tattoos must be legible at time of validation.
5. All exhibitors are required to wear plain white shirts in the show ring.
-  6. All exhibitors are encouraged to use a chain lead in the show ring. Lead Halter will not be allowed.
7. All animals must be clipped/trimmed (summer or winter). Hooves must also be trimmed before entering the show ring.

Dairy Goat Classes:

Junior Dairy Doe: (a doe that has never freshened)

6 months to 12 months

Nubian

AOB

12 months to 24 months

Nubian

AOB



Grand & Reserve Champion Overall Junior Doe (BUCKLE & BANNER)

Senior Dairy Doe: (a doe that has already freshened)

12 months to 3 years

Nubian

AOB

3 years and over

Nubian

AOB



Grand & Reserve Champion Overall Senior Doe (BUCKLE & BANNER)

Dairy Billie:

Billie kid (0 to 24 months)

Billie (24 months and over)

Grand & Reserve Champion Overall Billie

(BUCKLE & BANNER)

Horse Show

Superintendent:.....Becky Coward 254-223-0359

ValidationNovember 08, 2025, Gatesville Riding Club arena

Show Check-In:Monday, January 12, 2026, 9:00 a.m.

Show Date:Monday, January 12, 2026, 9:30 a.m.

Release Date:Immediately After Show

The Horse show will be held in Coryell County, regardless of weather conditions. If the weather does not allow the show to be held on Monday it will be pushed back later in the week of the fair.

1. All CCYF rules apply, plus these horse show rules. Official State 4-H Horse Show Rule books can be picked up from Extension office or viewed at <http://texas4-H.tamu.edu>.
2. Horses may be registered or grade. Copies of registration papers or grade horse certification form must be turned in with entry. All new horses must be validated; Horses shown the previous year do not require to be re-validated; however, must turn in paperwork on November 8, 2025.
3. A current negative Coggins certificate will be required on Show Day.
4. Horse show entries will not count towards the 6 head maximum number of livestock entries per exhibitor. Entry fees, validation photos, copies of registration papers or grade horse certifications are due with all CCYF entries on sign up night.
5. No stallions will be shown, but weanlings are allowed.
6. Horses must be owned 90 days by the exhibitor or an immediate family member to be shown. Registration papers must be in the name of the exhibitor or immediate family member. (Immediate family members include grandparents, brothers, sisters, parents, stepparents, and legal guardians)
7. The age of a horse shall be computed based on a calendar year, starting January 1st of the year it foaled.
8. An exhibitor may show one horse in each listed class except for Western Trail. A substitute exhibitor may assist ONLY when a class has been combined and the exhibitor has more than one entry in the combined class. Otherwise, an exhibitor must show his/her own entry.
9. Classes may be combined at the superintendent's discretion according to the number of entries received.
10. The use of any kind of stimulants or depressants is prohibited. Any surgical procedure, foreign substance or drug that could affect a horse's performance or alter its natural conformation or appearance is prohibited.
11. Inhumane or abusive treatment may result in disqualification, at the discretion of show management.
12. Unsoundness may be penalized at the discretion of the judge. This decision is not subject to protest.
13. The judge's decision is final.

14. Entries in Senior & Junior Divisions will be eligible to participate in the premium auction. The Overall Junior and Senior High Point Horses will be eligible for sale. In subsequent years, these animals will not be eligible for the Sale if they have previously gone through the sale. The Reserve High Point will only move up in their respective age division if that Grand is ineligible.
15. Seniors: 9th – 12th Grade; Juniors: 3rd – 8th Grade
16. Points will be accrued according to General Rules. NO POINTS ARE GIVEN FOR WALK-TROT OR EXHIBITION CLASSES.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
All Divisions	6	5	4	3	2	1
Champion Mare	2					
Champion Gelding	2					
Overall Champion Horse	2					
Reserve Champion Mare	1					
Reserve Champion Gelding	1					

ATTIRE:

It is mandatory to wear appropriate attire, either western or English. Descriptions of attire can be found in the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations.

EQUIPMENT:

Halter/Showmanship classes - Use a clean halter that is adjusted to fit the horse. The halter should fit well on the horse's head to maximize response to subtle halter cues. Silver halters shall not count over a nice, well-fitted halter of other material. Lip chains: Mares and geldings may not be shown with any chain through the mouth including but not limited to lip chains.

Western Pleasure/Trail/Horsemanship classes – Horses shall be shown in a stock saddle that fits the rider. Silver equipment will not count over good, clean, working equipment. Horses may be ridden with a curb, spade, or half- breed bit. Split reins must be used and held in one hand with no more than one finger between the reins. If a Romal is used, fingers between the reins are not permitted. Curb bits must have shanks that do not exceed 8-1/2" (total length of upper and lower shank) and the port must be no higher than 3-1/2". Curb chains or straps must be at least 1/2" in width and must lie flat against the horse's chin. No wire curbs are permitted regardless of the amount of padding or tape. Absolutely no iron will be permitted under the jaws. Mechanical hackamores are prohibited. Bosals or nosebands are not permitted with a bit. Gag bits, tie downs, martingales, and draw reins are prohibited. Protective boots and leg wraps are not allowed in halter, showmanship, western pleasure, or western trail.

HORSE FITTING & GROOMING:

The horse should be clean and well-groomed. The fitting for mane and tail may vary according to recognized practices for particular breed of horse.

Horse Classes:

Halter:

A halter class is defined as a class where the horse is judged based upon its conformation. The purpose of this class is to select individuals in the order of their resemblance to the breed ideal and that are the most positive combination of balance, structural correctness, breed and sex characteristics and muscling. For halter class rules, attire, equipment and class routine refer to the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations.

Registered Mares (5 years or older)
Registered Filly's (4 years or younger)
Grade Mare and Filly

Grand & Reserve Champion Mare (BUCKLE)

Registered Geldings (5 years or older)
Registered Geldings (4 years or younger)
Grade Geldings

Grand & Reserve Champion Gelding (BUCKLE)

Horse Showmanship:

Showmanship Junior (BUCKLE)
Showmanship Senior (BUCKLE)

The showmanship class is judged on an exhibitor's ability to execute practical and basic halter maneuvers from the ground. Judges will look for the exhibitor who can correctly perform each maneuver of the total pattern or run. In showmanship the halter conformation of the horse is not judged. For showmanship rules, attire, equipment, and class routine refer to the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations.

Western Horsemanship:

This class recognizes the exhibitor's ability to ride a horse functionally and correctly using various aids to cause the horse to perform required basic maneuvers. Riders will be judged on basic position in saddle, which includes the position and use of hands, seat, feet, and legs, as well as the ability to control and show the horse. Scores on individual works will be based on rider's skills and execution of the pattern. For western horsemanship rules, attire, equipment and class routines refer to the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations.

Junior (BUCKLE)
Senior (BUCKLE)

Western Horsemanship -Walk-Trot - JUNIOR NOVICE ONLY (RIBBONS)

This class recognizes a horse for functional correctness, quality of movement, attitude, manners, and the young age of both horse & rider. Class difficulty will be held to an appropriate age/experience standard (i.e., no loping). Classes will be broken according to the age group of the exhibitor. Attire, equipment, class routine, and rules will still reference the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations. Participation in this class will disqualify exhibitor/horse from Western Horsemanship Junior or Senior Division.

Western Pleasure:

This class recognizes a horse for functional correctness, quality of movement, attitude, and manners. Classes will be broken according to the age group of the exhibitor. For western pleasure rules, attire, equipment and class routine refer to the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations.

Junior
Senior

(BUCKLE)
(BUCKLE)

Western Pleasure -Walk-Trot - JUNIOR NOVICE ONLY

(RIBBONS)

This class recognizes a horse for functional correctness, quality of movement, attitude, and manners. Classes will be broken according to the age group of the exhibitor. For western pleasure rules, attire, equipment and class routine refer to the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations.

Western Trail:

This class will be judged on the performance of the horse over obstacles with emphasis on manners, response to the rider, and attitude. For western trail rules, attire, equipment, obstacles, and class routine refer to the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations.

Junior
Senior

(BUCKLE)
(BUCKLE)

Western Trail -Walk-Trot - JUNIOR NOVICE ONLY

(RIBBONS)

This class will be judged on the performance of the horse over obstacles with emphasis on manners, response to the rider, and attitude. Maneuvers will be performed at a walk and/or trot. For western trail rules, attire, equipment, obstacles, and class routine refer to the Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations. Exhibitors in this class will not be eligible for any classes offered that require canter/lope. Participation in this class will disqualify exhibitor/horse from Western Trail Junior or Senior Division.

****WALK/TROT CLASS PARTICIPANTS ARE INELIGIBLE FOR THE OVERALL
GRAND AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION TITLES****

Overall High Point Grand & Reserve Horse

**Junior Exhibitors
Senior Exhibitors**

**(BUCKLE)
(BUCKLE)**

Please Bring to Validation:

Coryell County Youth Fair Grade Horse Identification and Ownership Form

Name of Exhibitor: _____ Club/Chapter: _____

Breed: _____ Sex: (circle) Mare or Gelding

Horse's Name: _____

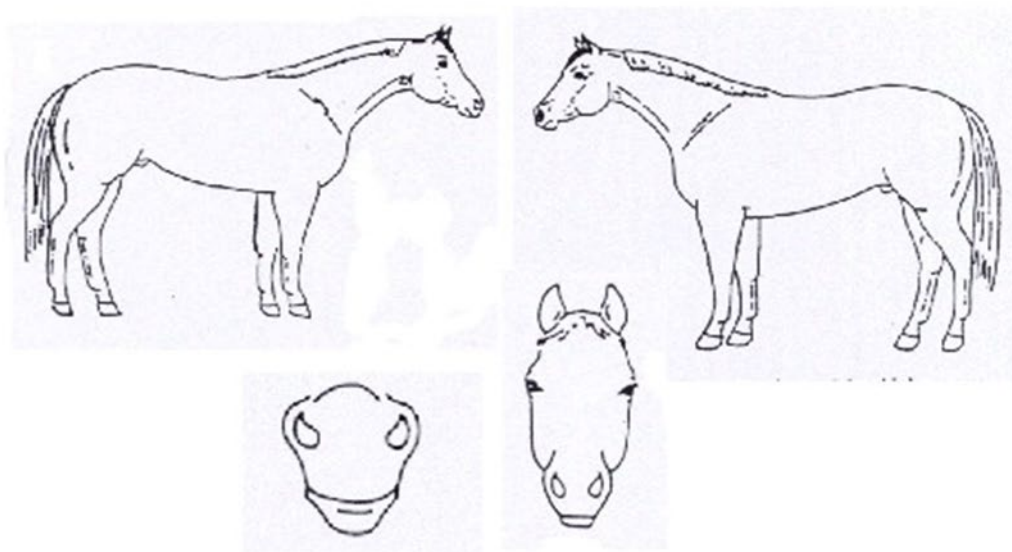
Age of Horse: _____ (If unknown - approximate).
(Age is figured on January 1st the year the horse was born.)

Horse is solely owned (not leased or borrowed) by the person checked below by the November entry deadline for the Coryell County Youth Fair. (check one)

- ☐ Exhibitor
- ☐ Exhibitor's parent or legal guardian
- ☐ Exhibitor's brother, sister, or step brother or stepsister
- ☐ Exhibitor's grandmother or grandfather

Horse was (check one): _____ Raised by 4-H'er or immediate family or _____ was purchased on
_____ (date of purchase) from: _____

Draw in all areas where white exists on the horse. Draw in any brands or other identifying marks.



Signatures below certify that the horse identified on this form is the 4-H or FFA project of the names exhibitor and that this horse was owned by the exhibitor or his/her parent, brother, sister, grandparent or legal guardian for the upcoming CCYF according to the CCYF ownership deadline (entry night).

Exhibitor signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian: _____ Date: _____

County Agent or Ag. Teacher signature: _____ Date: _____

Swine Show

Superintendent:.....Dustin Shuffler 254-394-4475 Jim Gardner 254-223-2447



Validation:November 17, 2025, Gatesville Civic Center 5:00 - 7:30 p.m.

Arrival:Wednesday, January 14, 2026; 12:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Show Date:.....Friday, January 16, 2026, 4:00 p.m.

Release Date:Friday, January 16, 2026; Following Show

1. Breeding swine must weigh between 170-300lbs. Market swine must weigh between 170-280lbs. With a 5lb tolerance above or below weight.
2. Swine will be weighed between 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 14, 2026. Swine will be called up to the scales by breed. There will be a classifier at the scales to assign each animal to a breed class. Swine will be classified according to standards set forth in Swine Classifications on the next pages.
3. ALL hogs must be owned by the exhibitor on or before the validation date. ALL MARKET AND BREEDING SWINE MUST BE PHYSICALLY VALIDATED.
4. Classes will be created according to the number of entries received.
5. Swine will be released following the Swine Show

Breeding Classes:

Gilts

Overall Grand Champion & Reserve Gilt

(BANNER & BUCKLE)

Market Classes:

Berkshire

Champion & Reserve

(BUCKLE)

Hamp

Champion & Reserve

(BUCKLE)

Light OPB

Champion & Reserve

(BUCKLE)

Dark O P B

Champion & Reserve

(BUCKLE)

Duroc

Champion & Reserve

(BUCKLE)

York

Champion & Reserve

(BUCKLE)

Cross

Champion & Reserve

(BUCKLE)

Grand & Reserve Champion Market Swine

(BANNER & BUCKLE)

Swine Classifications for 2026

BERKSHIRE (Berkshire)

Ideal

- Predominantly black possessing Berkshire breed character with regards to skull shape and ear shape.
- A Berkshire should have six white points: nose, each leg/foot and at end of tail (unless tail is docked).
- Erect ears.

Acceptable

- An occasional splash of white skin/hair may appear on the body.
- Three of the four legs/feet must be white.
- Ear can have white on it (not full coverage).
- Red or fawn hair, if over black or white skin pigmentation.
- Ear deformity/ear folded in a backwards position towards hog's body (crinkled ear).

Discriminatory

- Gray pigmentation on the body (spotting or mottling pattern).
- Moderate amount of white skin splashes.

Absolute Disqualification

- Solid white or solid black face from base of ear forward.
- Solid black nose (white does not break rim of nose).
- Solid white ear.
- Excessive white on the body.
 - Full coverage of white coming up the lower one-third of the body (not including legs) that extends from the base of the jaw through sternum and lower body through seam of the ham.
 - White splash extends from rear leg to upper hip.
- White skin or hair that continuously encircles the body anywhere between the base of the ear and the base of the
- tail.
- Any evidence of belt formation on the body.
- Lacks breed character with regards to skull and/or ear shape.
- Any evidence of physical tampering that would alter breed character.

BERKSHIRE

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Breed Classification Guidelines

Ideal:



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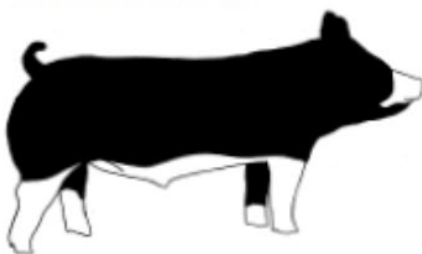


Three of the four legs/feet must be white.



An occasional splash of white skin/hair may appear on the body.

Discriminatory:



Moderate amount of white skin splashes.



BERKSHIRE

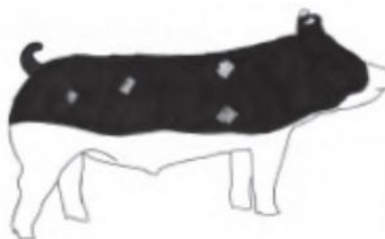
Absolute Disqualification:



Solid white or solid black face from the base of the ear forward.



White skin or hair that continuously encircles the body anywhere between the base of the ear and the base of the tail.



Excessive white on the body.

- a. Full coverage of white coming up the lower one-third of the body (not including legs) that extends from the base of the jaw through sternum and lower body through seam of the ham.
- b. White splash extends from rear leg to upper hip.



Solid white ear.



Solid black nose (white does not break the rim of the nose).



Lacking Berkshire breed character with regards to skull shape and ear shape.

SPOTTED (Dark OPB)

Ideal

- Must be black and white, possessing Spotted breed character.
- Ears are down when hog is in a relaxed position.

Acceptable

- Predominantly black with white spots or predominantly white with black spots.
- Ear deformity/ear folded in a backwards position towards hog's body (crinkled ear).

Discriminatory

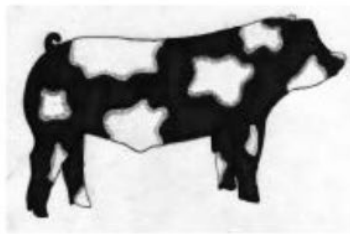
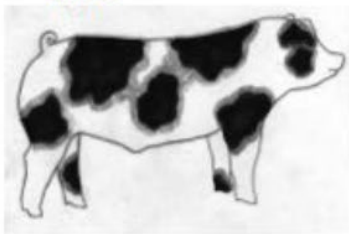
- Partially erect/level ears.
- Moderate brown spots.

Absolute Disqualification

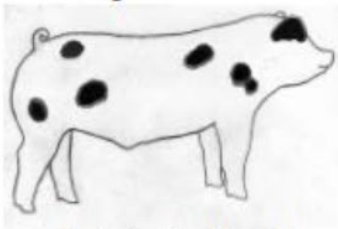
- Erect ears.
- Solid black head from base of ears forward.
- Distinct white belt pattern (hair or skin) encircling and extending down and onto each shoulder.
- Red hair.
- Excessive brown spots.
- Any evidence of physical tampering that would alter breed character.

SPOTTED

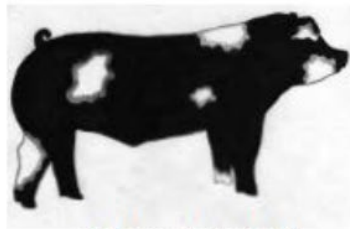
Ideal:



Acceptable:



Predominantly white with
black spots.



Predominantly black with
white spots.

Absolute Disqualification:



Solid black head from
base of ears forward.



Distinct white belt pattern (hair
or skin) encircling and extending
down and onto each shoulder.

POLAND CHINA (Dark OPB)

Ideal

- Predominantly black possessing Poland China breed character.
- A Poland China should have six white points: nose, each leg/foot and at the end of the tail (unless tail is docked).
- Ears are down when hog is in a relaxed position.

Acceptable

- A slight continuation of white from the legs to the body.
- Ear may have white on it.
- Three of the four legs must be white.
- May have an occasional splash of white on the body.
- Hair and skin texture can vary from coarse to thin, and color can vary from dark black to ashy/pale.
- Ear deformity/ear folded in a backwards position towards hog's body (crinkled ear).

Discriminatory

- Partially erect/level ears.
- A moderate continuation of white from the legs to the body.
- Moderate freestanding white, not attached to a leg.

Absolute Disqualification

- Erect ears.
- Solid white or solid black face.
- More than one solid black leg.
- If the white on a solid white ear goes past the base of the ear.
- An excessive continuation of white from the legs, encompassing the upper hip or shoulder.
- Excessive freestanding white, not attached to a leg.
- Evidence of belt formation.
- Red or sandy hair.
- Any evidence of physical tampering that would alter breed character.

POLAND CHINA & SPOTTED

Ideal:



Discriminatory:

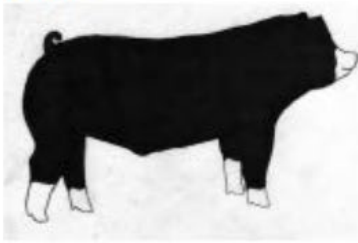


Absolute Disqualification:



POLAND CHINA

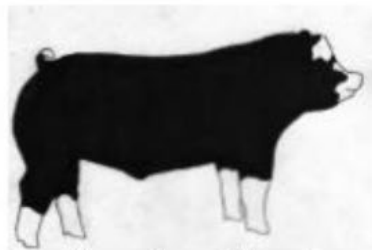
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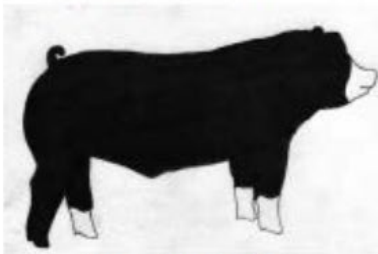
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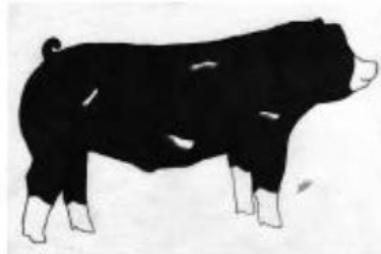
A slight continuation of white from the legs to the body.



Ear may have white on it.

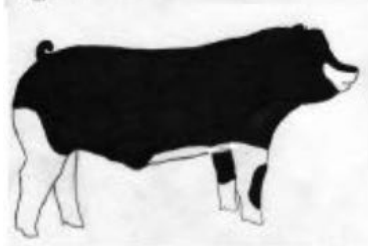
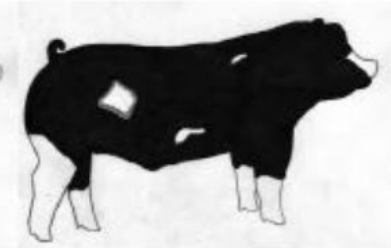
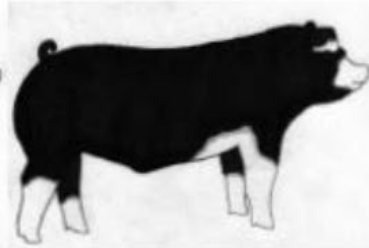


Three of the four legs must be white.



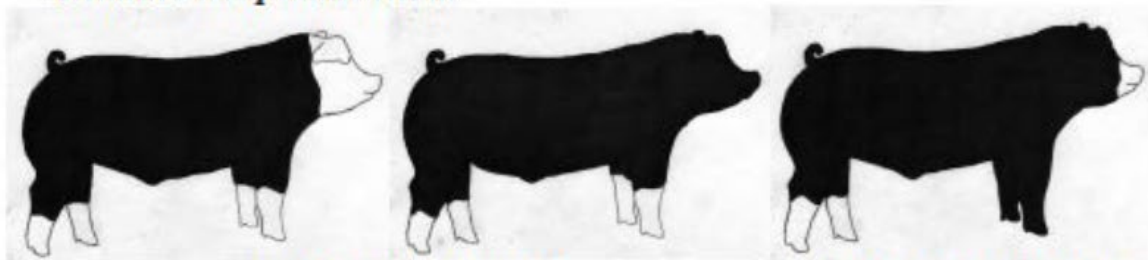
May have an occasional splash of white on the body.

Discriminatory:



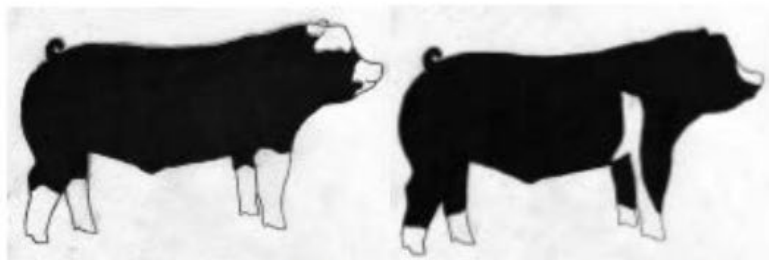
A moderate continuation of white from the legs to the body or moderate freestanding white, not attached to a leg.

Absolute Disqualification:



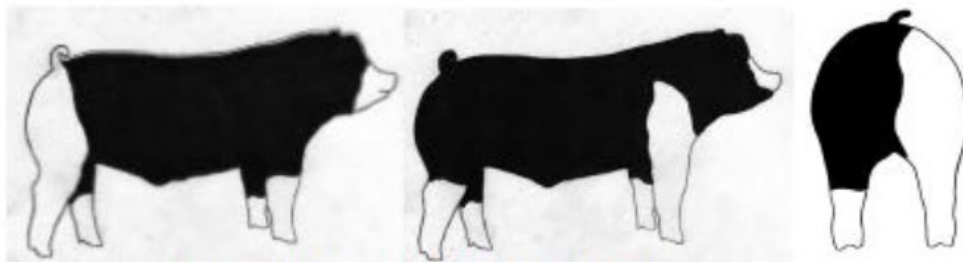
Solid white or solid black face.

More than one solid black leg.

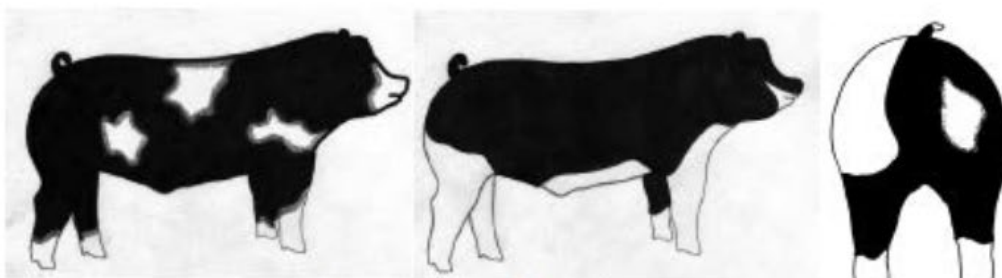


If the white on a solid white ear goes past the base of the ear.

Evidence of belt formation.



An excessive continuation of white from the legs, encompassing the upper hip or shoulder.



Excessive freestanding white, not attached to a leg.

HAMPSHIRE (Hampshire)

Ideal

- Black in color with a full white belt over the shoulders encompassing both front legs/feet.
- Possess Hampshire breed character with regards to skull shape and ear shape.
- Erect ears.

Acceptable

- Black head with a white body, with evidence of pigment and freckling down the top.
- White belt starting on a front foot/leg; belt partially encircles body extending to at least the chest floor (half belt).
- Freckling in the belt.
- Ear deformity/ear folded in a backwards position towards hog's body (crinkled ear).

Discriminatory

- Large spots within the belt.
- Belt is in front of or behind a solid black front leg.
- If belt v's and progresses towards the poll (base of the ear).
- White tip on tail, if docked.
- White on rear leg extends to the base of the ham.

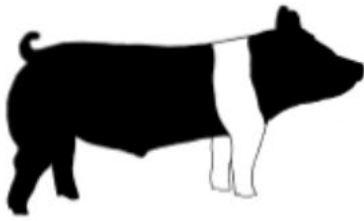
Absolute Disqualification

- Streaking or evidence of white on forehead.
- White skin extends over the rim of the nose.
- When mouth is closed, the white under the chin cannot exceed what a U.S. minted quarter will cover.
- Black head with a white body without freckles or pigmentation.
- Belt extends past the sheath (sheath must be black).
- Excessive frosting or white hair outside the belt.
- Red hair.
- Droopy or floppy ears.
- Any evidence of physical tampering that would alter breed character.

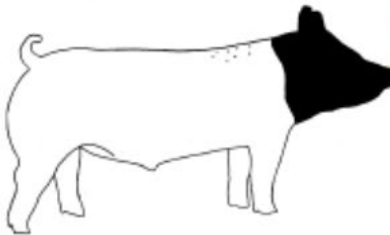
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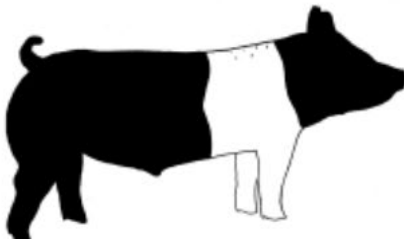


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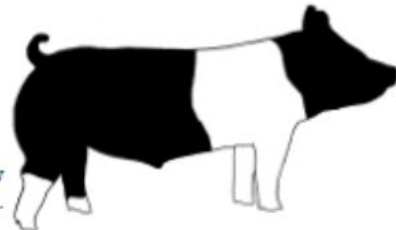
Black head with a white body, with evidence of pigment and freckling down the top.

White belt starting on a front foot/leg; belt partially encircles body extending to at least the chest floor (half belt).



Freckling in the belt.

White on rear leg is below the base of the ham.

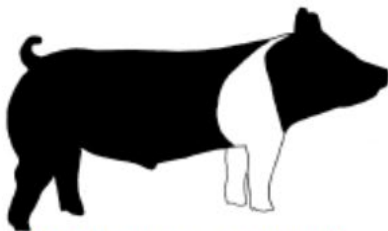


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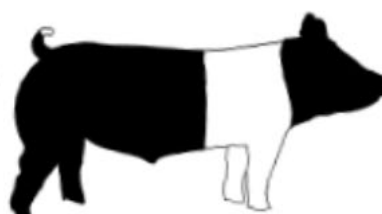


Large spots within the belt.

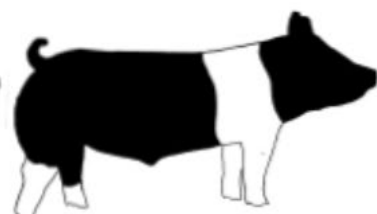
Belt is in front of or behind a solid black front leg.



If belt v's and progresses towards the poll (base of the ear).



White tip on tail, if docked.



White on rear leg extends to the base of the ham.

Absolute Disqualification:



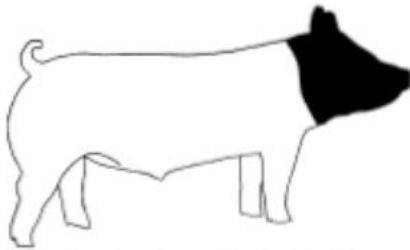
Streaking or evidence of white on forehead.



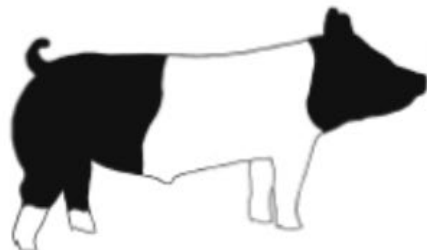
White skin extends over the rim of the nose.



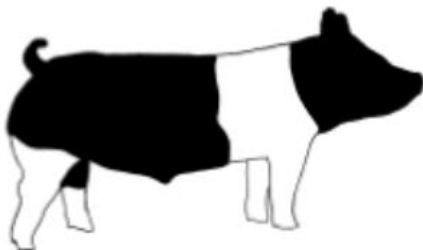
White under the chin cannot exceed what a U.S. minted quarter will cover.



Black head with a white body without freckles or pigmentation.



Belt extends past the sheath (sheath must be black).



White on rear leg extends above the base of the ham.



DUROC (Duroc)

Ideal

- Must be red in color, possessing Duroc breed character.
- Ears are down when hog is in a relaxed position.

Acceptable

- Acceptable colors range from light red to dark brown.
- Ear deformity/ear folded in a backwards position towards hog's body (crinkled ear).

Discriminatory

- Minimal amounts of black hair.
- Black spots on the skin under two inches in diameter.
- Partially erect/level ears.

Absolute Disqualifications

- Excessive amounts of black hair.
- White hair.
- White skin on the body or legs, or that extends over the rim of the nose.
- Four (4) or more black spots on the skin, any of which are larger than two (2) inches in diameter.
- Evidence of a belt.
- Erect ears.
- Any evidence of physical tampering that would alter breed character.

DUROC

Ideal:



Discriminatory:



Absolute Disqualification:



CHESTER WHITE (Light OPB)

Ideal

- Solid white in color possessing Chester White breed character.
- Medium sized ears are down when hog is in a relaxed position.

Acceptable

- Ear deformity/ear folded in a backwards position towards hog's body (crinkled ear).

Discriminatory

- Partially erect/level ear.
- Skin pigmentation.

Absolute Disqualification

- Erect ears.
- Colored hair.
- Color on the skin, cumulatively larger than a U.S. minted silver dollar.
- Any evidence of physical tampering that would alter breed character.

CHESTER WHITE

Ideal:



Discriminatory:



Absolute Disqualification:



LANDRACE (Light OPB)

Ideal

- Must be solid white possessing Landrace breed character.
- Large ears that droop and slant forward coming to a sharp point.

Acceptable

- Ear deformity/ear folded in a backwards position towards hog's body (crinkled ear).

Discriminatory

- Short rounded ears.
- Short snout mimicking that of a Chester White.

Absolute Disqualification

- Erect ears.
- Any hair color other than white.
- More than 3 spots of skin pigmentation; each individual spot cannot be larger than a U.S. minted quarter.
- Any evidence of physical tampering that would alter breed character.

LANDRACE

Ideal:



Discriminatory:



Absolute Disqualification:



YORKSHIRE (Yorkshire)

Ideal

- Must be completely white in color possessing Yorkshire breed character.
- Erect ears.

Acceptable

- Ear deformity/ear folded in a backwards position towards hog's body (crinkled ear).

Discriminatory

- Excessively large or wavy ears.
- Color pigmentation (on body):
 - Two individual pigmentation spots of which neither can be larger than a U.S. minted dime.
 - One pigmentation spot cannot be larger than a U.S. minted quarter.

Absolute Disqualification

- Any hair color that is NOT white.
- Broken/down ears.
- Combined pigmentation spots that exceed a U.S. minted silver dollar.
- Any series of dots that indicate masking.
- Any evidence of physical tampering that would alter breed character.

YORKSHIRE:

Ideal:



Discriminatory:



Absolute Disqualification:



CROSSBRED (Crossbred)

- Barrows of any coloration pattern or pigmentation are eligible for entry in this breed.

DARK CROSSBRED (Crossbred)

- Barrows with black and/or red pigmentation (i.e., not sandy, rusty, orange, roan, gray or blue), comprising at least 20% of total body area, shall be considered a Dark Cross. These barrows may be black or red belted, black/red patched or spotted. Barrows with only blue, rusty, sandy, orange, and gray pigmentation are NOT considered Dark Crosses. Barrows that do not meet the breed classification requirements for Dark Crossbred will not be reclassified.

Home Economics General Rules & Regulations

Coryell County Youth Fair

Superintendents: Jana Jones 254-223-0358 Stephanie Hester 432-664-0003

Changes have been made to departments, divisions, and classes so pay close attention to these and make sure your project is entered in the correct class. **No changes will be made to entry class after entries are checked in. If you have a question about where a project should be entered, please call a superintendent prior to check-in.** Please be aware of Release Times. Make arrangements for someone to pick up your item if you cannot be there yourself. We are not responsible for items left after release times.

1. All General Rules for the Coryell County Youth Fair will apply to the Home Economics Division.
2. Exhibitors in Home Economics will be separated into three age groups **according to their age as of September 1, 2025**. Each age division will be judged separately within each department.

Age divisions are as follows:

- a. Junior – 3rd grade and 8 years old through 10 years old
 - b. Intermediate – 11-13 years old
 - c. Senior – 14 years old through 12th grade
3. The entry fee for the Home Economics Division is \$5.00 per entry. There is a limit of 15 home economics entries per exhibitor.
 4. **Entry Deadline is November 15, 2025.**
 5. ENTRY: All Entries are to be made Online. No entries/money will be taken at the Civic Center or Extension Office. KEEP A COPY OF YOUR ENROLLMENT FORM/RECEIPT TO CHECK ENTRIES AGAINST BEFORE SHOW CHECK IN, January 13, 2026

Late enrollment entries and payment will be accepted online until 5 pm on November 30, 2025. Late entry fees will be double the fee of regular entries. ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNLESS ENTRY IS COMPLETED AND PAID ONLINE. NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER NOVEMBER 30, 2025.

6. **CHECK IN COMPLETED FAIR ENTRIES: TUESDAY EVENING, January 13, 2026, from 5:00pm -8:00pm. This includes Pee Wee Home Economics entries. The door will close at 8:00 p.m. All Home Economic entries must be inside the Entry Room with check-in slips and note cards attached by 8:00p.m. Any entries not inside the Entry Room will not be accepted.**



All completed entries must have standard WHITE index card(s) size 3x5 (preferred for Preserved Foods) or 4x6 attached stating how the item was made, steps involved, equipment used etc. Read each set of Department rules for specific information required for index cards. No larger size index cards will be accepted! Participants may print neatly or type cards. Cards need to be DETAILED to help the judges make informed decisions. NO PICTURES OR NAMES OF THE EXHIBITOR MAY BE ADDED TO CARDS; HOWEVER IT IS SUGGESTED YOU INCLUDE THE DIVISION, CLASS NUMBER AND CLASS NAME TO THE TOP OF EACH CARD AND ONLY USE THE FRONT OF CARD(S) FOR EXPLANATIONS.

7. If an item/entry has a specific assigned class, then it should be entered in that class and not in the “Other” category. Only items that do not fit in any other class can be placed in “Other”
8. **No entries are to have any personalization such as names of any kind, initials, monograms, or brands.**
9. During judging the name of the exhibitor will not be displayed. The exhibitor’s name may be displayed after judging.
10. EXHIBITS MUST REMAIN IN PLACE UNTIL 5pm ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2026, except for Baked Goods (excluding Grand and Reserve) which are released on Wednesday at 7:00pm. Baked Goods not picked up at designated release times will be disposed of.
11. Exhibitors may submit only one entry in each class under each division unless otherwise stated, except for the Baked Goods where you may submit one entry in each DIVISION (one candy, one cookie, one cake, one bread, and one pie). **Entries entered in the wrong class are subject to be disqualified.**
12. In all cases, the entries must be the bona fide work of the person known as the exhibitor. Any entry found to be otherwise will be disqualified. All entries must have been made since the previous CCYF show. **No team Home Economic Entries will be accepted. Must be the work of only one exhibitor. Previously entered items cannot be altered and reentered.**
13. Ribbons will be given in each class through sixth place.
14. Grand and Reserve Champions will be selected from first place entries as the final judging process. Judges will determine these awards based on quality of item, difficulty of item, technical skills, creativity, information provided on the index card, and the Judge’s expert opinion. **Judges have the right to deny a Grand and Reserve in a division if they feel the entries are not auction quality. In the Textiles Department, if a division has less than 5 total entries, judges can select the Reserve Champion from the second-place items. This will be left to the discretion of the General Superintendents if the entries meet this exception.**

AUCTION SIGN UP: Grand and Reserve Champions will need to sign up for the Auction by 8:00pm FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2026, at Designated Area.

AUCTION DAY: Newspaper Photos of the Grand & Reserve Champions will be taken SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2026, at 10:30

am. Photos with non-baked good auction items must be taken by 2 p.m. SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2026. All photos with baked good auction items or Large Items will be taken SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2026 by 2p.m or after Newspaper photos. Exhibitors will check in home economic auction items with superintendents by 2:00 p.m. SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2026.

15. The board, superintendents, department heads, advisors and volunteers of the Coryell County Youth Fair will not be responsible for theft of or damage to entries.

16. No alcohol, profanity, nudity, or suggestion thereof anywhere in or on items.

17. High Point Grand Champion, High Point Reserve Champion and Best of Show in each age division earn a buckle to be awarded before the auction on Saturday night.

18. READ THE RULES OF EACH DIVISION CLOSELY. ENTRIES SUBMITTED IN THE WRONG CLASS, OR ENTRIES THAT DO NOT MEET THE GUIDELINES SET FORTH IN THE RULES PROVIDED MAY BE DISQUALIFIED.



19. **THERE WILL BE NO COUNTRY STORE.** All Baked Goods not receiving a Grand or Reserve ribbon shall remain in place for public viewing until 7pm, Wednesday January 13, 2026. Grand and Reserve Champions will remain on display for public viewing until Friday, January 16, 2026, at 5pm.

20. Should any exhibitor wish to sale a home economic item not making auction, they may place a contact card with exhibitor's name and contact number on the item. This may be done once Home Economics is open to the public. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to handle the transaction and ensure the item stays in place for viewing until release on FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2026, at 5pm.

SEWN APPAREL, NEEDLEWORK & TEXTILES

Entry Fee \$5.00

Department Head: Donna Berry 254-493-1368

1. Entries must have been made by the exhibitor since last year's show.
2. Apparel must be on a hanger BUT DO NOT COVER WITH PLASTIC.
3. All entries must be accompanied by index card(s) (3x5 or 4x6) describing how the entry was made, and special techniques used. Please indicate if any part of the entry is from a kit. Index card(s) will not be furnished upon check-in. **Index cards should be attached with a safety pin to entry prior to Fair Check In.**
4. All entries must be clean, finished, and ready for use. Entries will not be accepted that are soiled, torn, and patched, or have an odor.
5. The criteria for judging textiles will be quality, overall appearance, and creativity.
6. All work must be original.
7. No alcohol, profanity, nudity, or suggestion there of anywhere in or on entries.
8. **No personalized items such as initials, names of any kind, monograms, brands, or photos are allowed to appear on any entry.**
8. Entries that do not meet the guidelines set forth in these rules may be disqualified.

DIVISION I: Sewn Apparel (clothing; garments; attire)

Junior

- 1001 Apparel Separate (Shirt or Pant)
- 1002 Ensemble, set of two or more.
- 1003 Dress
- 1004 Sewn Accessories
- 1005 Other
- 1006 Repurposed Sewn Apparel (repurposing items to make any of the above listed sewn apparel items)

Intermediate

- 2001 Apparel Separate (Shirt or Pant)
- 2002 Ensemble, set of two or more.
- 2003 Dress
- 2004 Sewn Accessories
- 2005 Other
- 2006 Repurposed Sewn Apparel (repurposing items to make any of the above listed sewn apparel items)

Senior

- 3001 Apparel Separate (Shirt or Pant)
- 3002 Ensemble, set of two or more.
- 3003 Dress
- 3004 Sewn Accessories
- 3005 Other
- 3006 Repurposed Sewn Apparel (repurposing items to make any of the above listed sewn apparel items)

DIVISION II: Decorated Apparel (Decorated Only)**Junior**

- 1007 Decorated Apparel (Shirt, Denim)
- 1008 Decorated Purse/Tote
- 1009 Decorated Accessories (Hair, Shoes, Hat)

Intermediate

- 2007 Decorated Apparel (Shirt, Denim)
- 2008 Decorated Purse/Tote
- 2009 Decorated Accessories (Hair, Shoes, Hat)

Senior

- 3007 Decorated Apparel (Shirt, Denim)
- 3008 Decorated Purse/Tote
- 3009 Decorated Accessories (Hair, Shoes, Hat)

DIVISION III: Needlework (must be done by hand)**Junior**

- 1010 Embroidery, any type
- 1011 Counted Cross Stitch
- 1012 Crochet and/or Knitted Items
- 1013 Other Needlework (Includes stamped)

Intermediate

- 2010 Embroidery, any type
- 2011 Counted Cross Stitch
- 2012 Crochet and/or Knitted Items
- 2013 Other Needlework (Includes stamped)

Senior

- 3010 Embroidery, any type
- 3011 Counted Cross Stitch
- 3012 Crochet and/or Knitted Items
- 3013 Other Needlework (Includes stamped)

DIVISION IV: Textiles (Excludes Wall Hangings)

Junior

- 1014 Tablecloth/Table Runner/Placemat, set of two.
- 1015 Pillow, one
- 1016 No Sew Blanket (a blanket that is not sewn together. It is either knotted or tied)
- 1017 Rug
- 1018 Other Textile
- 1019 Repurposed Textile (repurposing items to make any of the above listed textile items)

Intermediate

- 2014 Tablecloth/Table Runner/Placemat, set of two.
- 2015 Pillow, one
- 2016 No Sew Blanket (a blanket that is not sewn together. It is either knotted or tied)
- 2017 Rug
- 2018 Other Textile
- 2019 Repurposed Textile (repurposing items to make any of the above listed textile items)

Senior

- 3014 Tablecloth/Table Runner/Placemat, set of two.
- 3015 Pillow, one
- 3016 No Sew Blanket (a blanket that is not sewn together. It is either knotted or tied)
- 3017 Rug
- 3018 Other Textile
- 3019 Repurposed Textile (repurposing items to make any of the above listed textile items)

DIVISION V: Quilts (All Sizes)

Junior

- 1020 Machine Quilted (Pieced, Appliqued, etc.)
- 1021 Rag Quilts
- 1022 Mixed Quilting (Machine, Hand Sewn)
- 1023 Tacked (Yarn or String tied)
- 1024 Other (Includes Wall Hangings)

Intermediate

- 2020 Machine Quilted (Pieced, Appliqued, etc.)
- 2021 Rag Quilts
- 2022 Mixed Quilting (Machine, Hand Sewn)
- 2024 Tacked (Yarn or String tied)
- 2025 Other (Includes Wall Hangings)

Senior

- 3020 Machine Quilted (Pieced, Appliqued, etc.)
- 3021 Rag Quilts
- 3022 Mixed Quilting (Machine, Hand Sewn)
- 3023 Tacked (Yarn or String tied)
- 3024 Other (Includes Wall Hangings)

ART

Entry Fee \$5.00

Department Heads: Julie Matthews 254-206-0670 Emily Coward 254-760-9258

1. FOR ALL DIVISION I ENTRIES, IT WILL BE LEFT TO THE DISCRETION OF THE EXHIBITOR IF THEY WOULD LIKE TO “FRAME” THEIR ENTRY. HOWEVER, **THE ENTRY MUST BE READY TO HANG USING EYE HOOKS AND WIRE IN ORDER TO BE DISPLAYED ON THE WIRE CAGES FOR JUDGING PURPOSES. (Therefore.... No frame is required, but it DOES have to be ready to hang).** NO SAW TOOTH HANGERS of any kind may be used. DIVISION II ENTRIES ARE ALSO NOT REQUIRED TO BE FRAMED. HOWEVER, IF THE PROJECT IS MEANT TO BE DISPLAYED AS HUNG, THEN IT MUST HAVE EYE HOOKS AND WIRE. IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THAT IF YOUR ENTRY MAKES THE SALE THAT IT BE FRAMED, IF IT IS NOT ALREADY.
2. All completed entries must have index card(s) attached describing how the entry was made. Index cards will not be furnished upon check-in. **INDEX CARDS SHOULD BE ATTACHED TO THE FRONT RIGHT BOTTOM CORNER OF THE ENTRY PRIOR TO FAIR CHECK IN.** You may use a string so that the card hangs down and can be read from the front while it is hanging. **Please only use the FRONT of the index card(s) in this department.**
3. No artwork will be accepted with the exhibitor’s name or more than 1 initial showing on the item. If the artwork is signed, cover the signature with paper and tape so that it is not visible to judges.
4. **No personalized items such as initials, names of any kind, monograms, or brands on any entry.**
5. Entries will be judged on originality, composition, overall appearance, and criteria specific for the specific class. For example, if you enter a quilling project that has embellishments, only the “quilling” part of the project will be judged.
6. No easels will be allowed for displaying entries during judging or any other time.
7. No copyrighted material. (Copyright law protects “original works of authorship” fixed in a tangible medium of expression)
8. Entries that are not completely dry will not be accepted.
9. No alcohol, profanity, nudity, or suggestion thereof anywhere in or on entries.
10. On paper mâché’ projects, the form utilized must be hollow.
11. Entries that do not meet the guidelines set forth in these rules may be disqualified.

DIVISION I: Sketches & Paintings (must have eye hooks and wire for hanging)

Junior

- 1025 Pen/Ink
- 1026 Crayon (Excludes Melted Crayon entries)
- 1027 Pastel, oil, or acrylic
- 1028 Charcoal
- 1029 Pencil
- 1030 Oil
- 1031 Acrylic
- 1032 Watercolor/Tempera
- 1033 Mixed Medium, any combination of at least two/two or more type of mediums described.
in Division I

Intermediate

- 2025 Pen/Ink
- 2026 Crayon (Excludes Melted Crayon entries)
- 2027 Pastel, oil, or acrylic
- 2028 Charcoal
- 2029 Pencil
- 2030 Oil
- 2031 Acrylic
- 2032 Watercolor/Tempera
- 2033 Mixed Medium, any combination of at least two/two or more type of mediums described.
in Division I

Senior

- 3025 Pen/Ink
- 3026 Crayon (Excludes Melted Crayon entries)
- 3027 Pastel, oil, or acrylic
- 3028 Charcoal
- 3029 Pencil
- 3030 Oil
- 3031 Acrylic
- 3032 Watercolor/Tempera
- 3033 Mixed Medium, any combination of at least two/two or more type of mediums described.
in Division I

DIVISION II: Other Art (if meant to be hung, requires eye hooks and wire)

Junior

- 1034 Ink/Paint on Glass (Includes all Paint on Glass entries)
- 1035 Mosaics
- 1036 Stained Glass
- 1037 Chalk Art (All signs/plaques are to be entered under Handi-crafts)
- 1038 Paper Mache' (form utilized must be hollow)
- 1039 Quilling
- 1040 Other Art (Includes Melted Crayon entries, Mixed media, any combination of materials, objects, collages, layering, journaling)

Intermediate

- 2034 Ink/Paint on Glass (Includes all Paint on Glass entries)
- 2035 Mosaics
- 2036 Stained Glass
- 2037 Chalk Art (All signs/plaques are to be entered under Handi-crafts)
- 2038 Paper Mache'
- 2039 Quilling
- 2040 Other Art (Includes Melted Crayon entries Mixed media, any combination of materials, objects, collages, layering, journaling)

Senior

- 3034 Ink/Paint on Glass (Includes all Paint on Glass entries)
- 3035 Mosaics
- 3036 Stained Glass
- 3037 Chalk Art (All signs/plaques are to be entered under Handi-crafts)
- 3038 Paper Mache'
- 3039 Quilling
- 3040 Other Art (Includes Melted Crayon Entries Mixed media, any combination of materials, objects, collages, layering, journaling)

HANDI-CRAFTS

Entry Fee \$5.00

Department Heads: Jamie Jackson 254-223-2860 Nicole Shonkwiler 254-206-0905

1. Hanging articles must be **READY TO HANG for display**. Use hangers, frames, and stands if needed.
2. All completed entries must have an index card attached describing in FULL detail how the entry was made. **NO PICTURES ALLOWED ON CARDS, except for a Refinished entry. Index cards will not be furnished upon check-in! INDEX CARDS SHOULD BE ATTACHED TO ENTRY PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT FAIR CHECK IN!**
3. Entries will be judged on creativity, artistic design, quality of workmanship and age appropriateness.
4. Decorated frames should NOT contain photos of participants, family or friends, or mirrors.
5. **Entries that are not completely dry will not be accepted.**
6. No alcohol, profanity, nudity, or suggestion thereof anywhere in or on entries.
7. **No personalized items such as initials, names of any kind, monograms, brands, or photos are allowed to appear on any entry.**
8. Refinished entries will serve their same purpose; they have just been refinished. One “before” photo is required with this entry for the judges to know the condition of the piece before the project. The photo must not contain any names or people. The photo may be included on the index card or in addition to the index card.
9. Repurposed entries will include items that now serve a different purpose than the item’s originally intended purpose.
10. Entries that do not meet the guidelines set forth in these rules may be disqualified.
11. Jewelry must be displayed on a jewelry display form which may be borrowed from the Department.

DIVISION I: Home Accessories

Junior

- 1041 Signs and Plaques (NO names)
- 1042 Yard Art
- 1043 Wreaths (Includes all Wreath entries)
- 1044 Lamp (one only; with light bulb) (All Lamps are to be entered in this class)
- 1045 Decorated Mirrors/ Decorated Frames (NO photos)
- 1046 Floral Arrangements
- 1047 Other Home Accessories

Intermediate

- 2041 Signs and Plaques (NO names)
- 2042 Yard Art
- 2043 Wreaths (Includes all Wreath entries)
- 2044 Lamp (one only; with light bulb) (All Lamps are to be entered in this class)
- 2045 Decorated Mirrors/ Decorated Frames (NO photos)
- 2046 Floral Arrangements
- 2047 Other Home Accessories

Senior

- 3041 Signs and Plaques (NO names)
- 3042 Yard Art
- 3043 Wreaths (Includes all Wreath entries)
- 3044 Lamp (one only; with light bulb) (All lamps are to be entered in this class)
- 3045 Decorated Mirrors/ Decorated Frames (NO photos)
- 3046 Floral Arrangements
- 3047 Other Home Accessories

DIVISION II: Hobbies

Junior

- 1048 Wood burning
- 1049 Leatherwork
- 1050 Models (includes Lego items)
- 1051 Small Repurposed not to exceed 3x3x3 (length x width x height) (An item that has been re-designed to serve another purpose)
- 1052 Large Repurposed (An item that has been re-designed to serve another purpose)
- 1053 Other Hobbies (Includes All Jewelry)

Intermediate

- 2048 Wood burning
- 2049 Leatherwork
- 2050 Models (includes Lego items)
- 2051 Small Repurposed not to exceed 3x3x3 (length x width x height) (An item that has been re-designed to serve another purpose)
- 2052 Large Repurposed (An item that has been re-designed to serve another purpose)
- 2053 Other Hobbies (Includes All Jewelry)

Senior

- 3048 Wood burning
- 3049 Leatherwork
- 3050 Models (includes Lego items)
- 3051 Small Repurposed not to exceed 3x3x3 (length x width x height) (An item that has been re-designed to serve another purpose)
- 3052 Large Repurposed (An item that has been re-designed to serve another purpose)
- 3053 Other Hobbies (Includes All Jewelry)

DIVISION III: Wood & Metal**Junior**

- 1054 Small Woodwork (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement)
- 1055 Large Woodwork (Includes Beds, Dressers, Chests, Swings)
- 1056 Small Metal Crafts (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement)
- 1057 Large Metal Crafts (Includes Headache Racks, Furniture, Beds, Gates, etc.)
- 1058 Small Refinished Furniture (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement) (Before photo required)
- 1069 Large Refinished Furniture (Before photo required)

Intermediate

- 2054 Small Woodwork (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement)
- 2055 Large Woodwork (Includes Beds, Dressers, Chests, Swings)
- 2056 Small Metal Crafts (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement)
- 2057 Large Metal Crafts (Includes Headache Racks, Furniture, Beds, Gates, etc.)
- 2058 Small Refinished Furniture (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement) (Before photo required)
- 2059 Large Refinished Furniture (Before photo required)

Senior

- 3054 Small Woodwork (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement)
- 3055 Large Woodwork (Includes Beds, Dressers, Chests, Swings)
- 3056 Small Metal Crafts (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement)
- 3057 Large Metal Crafts (Includes Headache Racks, Furniture, Beds, Gates, etc.)
- 3058 Small Refinished Furniture (NOT to EXCEED 3 x 3 x 3 ft. measurement) (Before photo required)
- 3059 Large Refinished Furniture (Before photo required)

PRESERVED FOODS

Entry Fee \$5.00

Department Head: Della Altum 254-223-1248

All entries must be accompanied by a copy of canning instructions including **HOW PROCESSED (The Processing Method should be listed in the upper righthand corner of the card for easy viewing.) on an index card(s) (3x5 preferred) to be turned in upon Check In. Index card(s) will not be furnished upon Check In.**

INDEX CARD(S) SHOULD BE ATTACHED TO THE ENTRY PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT FAIR CHECK IN. Index card(s) should be secured around jars by a rubber band ran through a hole punched in the top left-hand corner of the index card(s). These cards will be removed and stored after Judging is complete.

1. All Preserved Foods must have been canned since the previous show and processed by either hot water bath method or pressure canning. All jars must be sealed, HAVE RINGS, and free of spoilage. Those recipes not processed following regular canning procedures will not be accepted/judged. All essential ingredients are required to be listed in the recipe, to include secret spices (due to food allergies).
2. Products for canning may have been bought (such as peaches, apples, pears, and figs), but they must have been canned by exhibitor.
3. Pectin may be used commercially available, but no artificial coloring may be used including colored candies.
4. Jars may not be decorated by exhibitor in any way including bows, raffia, etc. Standard canning labels with the food's name and date canned are acceptable.
5. Exhibitors are not allowed to submit an entry into "Other" Class if a class is offered for that food.
6. Exhibitors are not allowed to submit egg or meat foods in any division except Dried Food.
7. No Dairy Products may be used in Preserved Foods (canning) due to food safety regulations. (i.e., Caramel Sauce/Syrup)
8. Preserved Foods will be released on FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2026, from 5:00pm.

Entries not picked up at this time will be disposed of.

9. Entries will be judged according to the following regulations:
- a. Container**
 - i. **Standard half-pint or pint**, canning jars must be used (no quart jars).
 - ii. Standard fruit jar lids, free from rust or corrosion. Hint: Store without ring.
 - iii. Must be sealed properly AND BE CLEAN.
 - b. Pack**
 - i. Practical, but not fancy.
 - ii. Uniform in size whether whole or in pieces.
 - iii. Space in jar filled but not crowded, large proportions of vegetables to liquid.
 - iv. Vegetable or fruit covered with liquid.
 - c. Color**
 - i. Characteristic of freshly cooked product – not faded or darkened.
 - ii. Liquid characteristic of product.
 - d. Texture and Flavor**
 - i. Shape held, evenly graded.
 - ii. Uniform maturity.
 - iii. Not mushy from over-ripeness or over-cooking.
 - iv. Judges may open containers for tasting.
10. Grand and Reserve Champion winners selling in the auction must furnish an unopened jar(s) of judged product by 2pm on SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2026, to Home Economics Superintendents.
11. Criteria for Dried/Dehydrated Foods
- a. Dried food must be displayed in either clear plastic quart size freezer bags with zip closure, glass jars with tight fitting lids, or in vacuum sealed bags. Vacuum sealing is recommended if possible.
 - b. Foods in unapproved containers will be disqualified.
 - c. Entries should consist of a minimum of 12 pieces of fruit, vegetables or jerky per container. Whole slice rather than pieces shall be entered.
 - d. No fruit leathers or trail mixes will be accepted.
 - e. No room, sun or solar dried/dehydrated entries will be accepted. Foods must be dried/dehydrated using dehydrators or ovens.
 - f. Entries will be judged on appearance, uniformity of slices, color, visual texture, etc.
 - g. Index card(s) shall contain the following information:
 - i. Method of Drying (Dehydrator, oven, or freeze dried)
 - ii. Time and Temperature of Drying
 - iii. Pre-treatment method (if used)
12. Entries that do not meet the guidelines set forth in these rules may be disqualified.

SUGGESTED REFERENCES FOR FOOD PRESERVATION

- <http://ucfoodsafety.usdavis.edu/files/26457.pdf>
- Complete Guide to Home Canning.
 - o Guide 1. Principles of Home Canning United States Department of Agriculture.
<http://www.homecanning.com/index.asp>

DIVISION I: Vegetable & Fruits (No Pickled Entries)

Junior

- 1060 Green Beans
- 1061 Tomato
- 1062 Other Vegetable
- 1063 Peach
- 1064 Other Fruit

Intermediate

- 2060 Green Beans
- 2061 Tomato
- 2062 Other Vegetable
- 2063 Peach
- 2064 Other Fruit

Senior

- 3060 Green Beans
- 3061 Tomato
- 3062 Other Vegetable
- 3063 Peach
- 3064 Other Fruit

DIVISION II: Pickled Products (Includes All Pickled Entries)

Junior

- 1065 Beet Pickles
- 1066 Cucumber Pickle – Dill
- 1067 Cucumber Pickle – Sweet
- 1068 Bread & Butter Pickles
- 1069 Pickled Pepper
- 1070 Pickled Fruit
- 1071 Pickled Vegetable

Intermediate

- 2065 Beet Pickles
- 2066 Cucumber Pickle – Dill
- 2067 Cucumber Pickle – Sweet
- 2068 Bread & Butter Pickles
- 2069 Pickled Pepper
- 2070 Pickled Fruit
- 2071 Pickled Vegetable

Senior

- 3065 Beet Pickles
- 3066 Cucumber Pickle – Dill
- 3067 Cucumber Pickle – Sweet
- 3068 Bread & Butter Pickles
- 3069 Pickled Pepper
- 3070 Pickled Fruit
- 3071 Pickled Vegetable

DIVISION III: Relishes & Sauces**Junior**

- 1072 Chow Chow
- 1073 Picante/Salsa
- 1074 Fruit Relish
- 1075 Vegetable Relish
- 1076 Fruit Chutney
- 1077 Other Sauce (ex. BBQ sauce, steak sauce, etc.)

Intermediate

- 2072 Chow Chow
- 2073 Picante/Salsa
- 2074 Fruit Relish
- 2075 Vegetable Relish
- 2076 Fruit Chutney
- 2077 Other Sauce (ex. BBQ sauce, steak sauce, etc.)

Senior

- 3072 Chow Chow
- 3073 Picante/Salsa
- 3074 Fruit Relish
- 3075 Vegetable Relish
- 3076 Fruit Chutney
- 3077 Other Sauce (ex. BBQ sauce, steak sauce, etc.)

DIVISION IV: Jellied Products**Junior**

- 1078 Jam
- 1079 Jelly
- 1080 Preserves (See Food Preservation References for help categorizing)
- 1081 Marmalade (See Food Preservation References for help categorizing)
- 1082 Butter
- 1083 Other (includes all syrups)

Intermediate

- 2078 Jam
- 2079 Jelly
- 2080 Preserves (See Food Preservation References for help categorizing)
- 2081 Marmalade (See Food Preservation References for help categorizing)
- 2082 Butter
- 2083 Other (includes all syrups)

Senior

- 3078 Jam
- 3079 Jelly
- 3080 Preserves (See Food Preservation References for help categorizing)
- 3081 Marmalade (See Food Preservation References for help categorizing)
- 3082 Butter
- 3083 Other (includes all syrups)

DIVISION V: Dried Food**Junior**

- 1084 Jerky
- 1085 Fruit
- 1086 Vegetable

Intermediate

- 2084 Jerky
- 2085 Fruit
- 2086 Vegetable

Senior

- 3084 Jerky
- 3085 Fruit
- 3086 Vegetable

BAKED GOODS

Entry Fee \$5.00

Department Heads: Gail Shelton 254-679-9175

1. You may **ONLY ENTER** one item in each division (one cake, one pie, one cookie, one candy, one bread). Recipe classes will not be changed at Check In so make sure you enter your recipe in the right class!
2. Recipes must be attached to completed entry upon check-in **WITHOUT** name of exhibitor. The complete recipe with measurements included must be attached to the top of the entry on an index card(s). **Do Not** put exhibitor name on recipe card(s) or entries.

Index cards will not be furnished upon Check-In! **INDEX CARDS SHOULD BE PLACED IN A BAGGIE AND ATTACHED TO THE ENTRY PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT FAIR CHECK IN!**

3. **No entries requiring refrigeration will be accepted.** Some examples include meringue, cheesecake, cream, cream cheese, custard, chess fillings, glazes made **MOSTLY** with milk, juice, or meat fillings. No uncooked fruit garnishes allowed. No meat is to be added to baked goods. Decision concerning whether entry requires refrigeration is left to the discretion of the Department Heads. For questions regarding a recipe contact the Department Heads.
4. **INGREDIENTS: All Baked Goods (to include pie crusts and icings) must be made from scratch, excluding Decorated Cakes.** Decorated Cakes may use some type of mix, pudding mix, frosting mix, etc., plus added ingredients. All mixes used must be listed in the recipe.
5. **PREPARE FOR CHECK IN:** All entries must be in/on **disposable, non-breakable, non-decorative and clean containers. No glass, metal, plastic, store containers or Tupperware. Call the department head for prior approval if you have a question if your container meets the requirements.** No decorations are allowed on Baked Goods excluding Decorated Cakes. Decorated Cake decorations must be edible, completely.

All entries must be covered using a clear container, plastic, or plastic bag. For oversized entries try a cleaner bag or roaster bag.

6. Food not meeting standard food safety guidelines will not be judged, this is to be determined by the Department Heads.
7. Entries will be judged on **APPEARANCE** (Exterior and Interior), **COLOR** (Crust, Crumb), **MOISTURE CONTENT**, **TEXTURE**, **LIGHTNESS**, and **FLAVOR... ALL ENTRIES WILL BE TASTED!!**
8. Recipes cannot contain alcohol of any form. However, flavored extracts are allowed.

9. FOR GRAND AND RESERVE CHAMPIONS SELLING IN AUCTION, THE EXHIBITOR WILL BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A FRESH BAKED PRODUCT DELIVERED TO THE HOME ECONOMICS SUPERINTENDENTS BY 2PM, SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2026.
10. Entries that do not meet the guidelines set forth in these rules may be disqualified.
11. No MOCK food entries will be accepted.

DIVISION I: CANDY - Plate of 12 - Must be entered on a heavy-duty paper plate or covered cardboard cut to fit inside a plastic sealable zip-lock bag.

Junior

- 1087 Chocolate Fudge
- 1088 Other Fudge (includes white chocolate fudge)
- 1089 Brittle
- 1090 Other Candy

Intermediate

- 2087 Chocolate Fudge
- 2088 Other Fudge (includes white chocolate fudge)
- 2089 Brittle
- 2090 Other Candy

Senior

- 3087 Chocolate Fudge
- 3088 Other Fudge (includes white chocolate fudge)
- 3089 Brittle
- 3090 Other Candy

DIVISION II: COOKIES - Plate of 12 - Cookies must be entered on a heavy-duty paper plate or covered cardboard cut to fit inside a plastic sealable zip-lock bag, roaster bag, or cleaner bag.

Junior

- 1091 Bar Cookies (Includes Brownie)
- 1092 Decorated (cookie and icing from scratch)
- 1093 Other Cookies (Includes Rolled, Cut, or Drop Cookies)

Intermediate

- 2091 Bar Cookies (Includes Brownie)
- 2092 Decorated (cookie and icing from scratch)
- 2093 Other Cookies (Includes Rolled, Cut, or Drop Cookies)
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Senior

- 3091 Bar Cookies (Includes Brownie)
- 3092 Decorated (cookie and icing from scratch)
- 3093 Other Cookies (Includes Rolled, Cut, or Drop Cookies)

DIVISION III: CAKES - Must be in disposable pan or on covered cardboard. Cakes should be covered with a clear disposable container, plastic, or plastic bag (including cleaner bag, roaster bag, or cellophane) NO METAL OR GLASS CONTAINERS.

Junior

- 1094 Pound/Bundt Cake
- 1095 Cupcakes (plate of twelve from scratch)
- 1096 Decorated Cake (will be tasted, may not have non-edible parts, and may be a mix with homemade icing)
- 1097 Other Cakes (Includes Sheet and Layer)

Intermediate

- 2094 Pound/Bundt Cake
- 2095 Cupcakes (plate of twelve from scratch)
- 2096 Decorated Cake (will be tasted, may not have non-edible parts, and may be a mix with homemade icing)
- 2097 Other Cakes (Includes Sheet and Layer)

Senior

- 3094 Pound/Bundt Cake
- 3095 Cupcakes (plate of twelve from scratch)
- 3096 Decorated Cake (will be tasted, may not have non-edible parts, and may be a mix with homemade icing)
- 3097 Other Cakes (Includes Sheet and Layer)

DIVISION IV: BREADS - if entering rolls, biscuits, etc., please include a plate of 12 - entered on a heavy-duty paper plate or covered cardboard cut to fit inside a plastic sealable zip-lock bag.

Junior

- 1098 Yeast
- 1099 Sweet Yeast
- 1100 Fruit/Nut Bread
- 1101 Quick Bread (Biscuits, Cornbread, etc.)
- 1102 Other Bread (Includes Vegetable)

Intermediate

- 2098 Yeast
- 2099 Sweet Yeast
- 2100 Fruit/Nut Bread
- 2101 Quick Bread (Biscuits, Cornbread, etc.)
- 2102 Other Bread (Includes Vegetable)

Senior

- 3098 Yeast
- 3099 Sweet Yeast
- 3100 Fruit/Nut Bread
- 3101 Quick Bread (Biscuits, Cornbread, etc.)
- 3102 Other Bread (Includes Vegetable)

DIVISION V: PIES - No pies requiring refrigeration will be accepted, including cream pies, custard pies, chess pies, etc. Pies must be inside a plastic sealable zip-lock bag and in a disposable pan. Pie crusts must be made from scratch! No Mock food entries. Pies are judged on the class named ingredient.

Junior

- 1103 Peach Pie
- 1104 Apple Pie
- 1105 Cherry Pie
- 1106 Other Fruit Pie
- 1107 Nut Pie

Intermediate

- 2103 Peach Pie
- 2104 Apple Pie
- 2105 Cherry Pie
- 2106 Other Fruit Pie
- 2107 Nut Pie

Senior

- 3103 Peach Pie
- 3104 Apple Pie
- 3105 Cherry Pie
- 3106 Other Fruit Pie
- 3107 Nut Pie

THERE IS ALWAYS A POSSIBILITY THAT A COOKBOOK WILL BE PRINTED USING RECIPES OF THE GRAND CHAMPIONS AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPIONS. BY SUBMITTING THE RECIPE, THE EXHIBITOR RELEASES THE RECIPE FOR PUBLICATION IN THIS MATTER.

PHOTOGRAPHY

Entry Fee \$5.00

Department Heads: Tracy Coursey 254-291-6059

1. All photographs must be 8x10 and inserted in CLEAR plastic prior to Fair Check In. Tape note card to back of photo entry, within the protective sleeve. No entries will be framed, and no plastic sleeves will be provided at Check In. **DO NOT TAPE SLEEVE CLOSED!**
2. Do NOT mount photos.
3. All Photography **entries must be accompanied by a detailed index card(s)** (3x5 or 4x6) describing:
 - a. Please **INCLUDE** the **THOUGHT PROCESS** behind the photo, explain setup, how idea came to be, etc.
 - b. **HOW, WHEN, & WHERE** the photo was taken
 - c. **The CAMERA USED**
 - d. **Digital settings/lighting**
4. If requested, the exhibitor must furnish a negative or CD containing images. These will NOT be turned in unless requested.
5. Story Board photos should be mounted on mat board or foam core board of 11"x14" with pictures 4"x6" in dimension. **NO RAISED** lettering for titles will be allowed. **DO NOT MAT INDIVIDUAL PICTURES!**
6. Photos should be printed on standard photo paper only (glossy or matte). **NO METALLICS.**
7. No borders allowed on photos except in the special effects category.
8. The same photo **MAY NOT** be entered twice in different classes/divisions. Example: You may not enter a color photo in a color class, and then enter the same photo in a black and white class. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
9. Sepia photos will be entered in the Black and White division!
10. No photos will be accepted of people on railroad tracks or taken while on railroad tracks (Federal Law)
11. No Selfie photos will be accepted.
12. Photography categories are described below. Those photos not fitting into these guidelines will be disqualified.

13. No time/date stamps will be allowed on photos.
14. No alcohol, profanity, nudity, or suggestion thereof anywhere in the photo will be allowed.
15. Entries that do not meet the guidelines set forth in these rules may be disqualified.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

DIVISION	CLASS DESCRIPTION
People	People (babies, children, adults, and senior citizens) alone or in a group, active or inactive.
Animals	Animal life, including domestic, wild, insects, and underwater creatures. The animal(s) should be the focus of the photo and not human subjects or nature/scenic.
Leading Lines	A compositional technique where naturally occurring or intentionally positioned lines within an image are used to draw the viewer's eye to a specific point of interest or the main subject.
Landscape	Scenes of natural landscapes, seascapes, skyscapes (sunsets, clouds, etc.), cityscapes or underwater scenes.
Plant/Flora	Any photo that focuses on the plant or flower structure and not on a scene or landscape.
Motion/Action	A photo where in action or motion is frozen, but the photo conveys the motion to viewers.
Forgotten Objects	A photo of an object that has been forgotten (may include an explanation on index card)
Emotions	A photo of a person or animals' emotion such as sadness, fear, happiness, etc.
Special Effects/Creative Effects	Any photo that has been enhanced to bring out dramatic or artistic qualities, these enhancements can occur using the camera or developing process. Antiquing, and hand-tinting, photos would be entered in this division.
Food	A photo of food creating appetizing still-life images.
Transportation	Photo that exhibits any mode of transportation. (example: train, boat, car, truck, chuck wagon, etc.)
Other	Any photo that does not fit in one of the above listed categories.

DIVISION I: COLOR Film and Digital

Junior

- 1108 People
- 1109 Animals
- 1110 Leading Lines
- 1111 Landscape
- 1112 Plant/Flora
- 1113 Motion/Action
- 1114 Forgotten Objects
- 1115 Emotions
- 1116 Special Effects/Creative Effects
- 1117 Transportation
- 1118 Food
- 1119 Other

Intermediate

- 2108 People
- 2109 Animals
- 2110 Leading Lines
- 2111 Landscape
- 2112 Plant/Flora
- 2113 Motion/Action
- 2114 Forgotten Objects
- 2115 Emotions
- 2116 Special Effects/Creative Effects
- 2117 Transportation
- 2118 Food
- 2119 Other

Senior

- 3108 People
- 3109 Animals
- 3110 Leading Lines
- 3111 Landscape
- 3112 Plant/Flora
- 3113 Motion/Action
- 3114 Forgotten Objects
- 3115 Emotions
- 3116 Special Effects/Creative Effects
- 3117 Transportation
- 3118 Food
- 3119 Other

DIVISION II: BLACK & WHITE Film and Digital

Junior

- 1120 People
- 1121 Animals
- 1122 Leading Lines
- 1123 Landscape
- 1124 Plant/Flora
- 1125 Motion/Action
- 1126 Forgotten Objects
- 1127 Emotions
- 1128 Special Effects/Creative Effects
- 1129 Transportation
- 1130 Food
- 1131 Other

Intermediate

- 2120 People
- 2121 Animals
- 2122 Leading Lines
- 2123 Landscape
- 2124 Plant/Flora
- 2125 Motion/Action
- 2126 Forgotten Objects
- 2127 Emotions
- 2128 Special Effects/Creative Effects
- 2129 Transportation
- 2130 Food
- 2131 Other

Senior

- 3120 People
- 3121 Animals
- 3122 Leading Lines
- 3123 Landscape
- 3124 Plant/Flora
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- 3129 Transportation
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- 3131 Other

Pee Wee Goat/Lamb Showcase

Entry Fee: \$10.00

Superintendent:Becky Coward 254-865-2414

Entry:ONLINE - November 2-15, 2025, by 5:00 p.m. on 15th
Show Check-In:Saturday, January 17, 2026, 9:00 a.m.
Show Date:.....Saturday, January 17, 2026, 10:00 a.m.
Release Date:Saturday, January 17, 2026, after show.

All entries are to be completed online. Entries are payable online only by November 15, 2025.

You will be able to enter online entries November 2-15, 2025, at www.coryellyouthfair.com by 5pm.

1. Children must be in K, 1st or 2nd grade as of September 1, 2025, and Age 5-8.
2. No weight limit on show day.
3. All awards and recognition will be equal to all exhibitors.
4. Limit of 1 goat or lamb per Exhibitor.
5. Pee Wee goat participants may show a goat or lamb from another CCYF Exhibitor. These goats or lambs are the ONLY animals that can be shown more than once during CCYF. No validation or prior proof of ownership required for Pee Wee exhibitors!
6. No adults in the show arena. Exhibitors may be assisted by another youth.

Pee Wee Rabbit Showcase

Entry Fee: \$10.00

Superintendent:..... Becky Coward 254-865-2414

Entry:ONLINE - November 2-15, 2025, by 5:00 p.m. on the 15th

Show Check-In:Saturday, January 17, 2026, 9:00 a.m.

Show Date:.....Saturday, January 17, 2026, 9:30 a.m.

Release Date:Saturday, January 17, 2026, after show.

All entries are to be completed online. Entries are payable online only by November 15, 2025.

You will be able to begin online entries November 2-15, 2025, at www.coryellyouthfair.com by 5pm.

1. Children must be in K, 1st or 2nd grade as of September 1, 2025, and Age 5-8.
2. No adults in the show arena. Exhibitors may be assisted by another youth.
3. All awards and recognition will be equal to all exhibitors.
4. Limit one rabbit per Exhibitor.
5. Pee Wee rabbit participants may show a rabbit from another CCYF Exhibitor. These rabbits are the ONLY animals that can be shown more than once during CCYF. No validation or prior proof of ownership required for Pee Wee exhibitors!

Pee Wee Home Economic Showcase

Entry Fee: No Charge but Online Entry is REQUIRED by the deadline!

Superintendent: Becky Coward 254-865-2414

Entry: ONLINE - November 2-15, 2025, by 5:00 p.m. on the 15th
Show Check-In: Tuesday, January 13, 2026, 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Show Date: Wednesday, January 14, 2026, 5:00 p.m.
Release Time: FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2026, 5:00 p.m.

All entries are to be completed online. Entries are payable online only by November 15, 2025.

Entries will be available online at www.coryellyouthfair.com beginning November 2nd and close at 5:00 PM on Friday, November 15th.

1. Children must be in K, 1st or 2nd grade as of September 1, 2025, and Age 5-8.
2. No items requiring refrigeration may be entered.
3. No index cards required for pee wee entries.
4. May enter a Maximum of 3 entries per exhibitor, 1 per class.
5. Pee Wee Home Ec. Entry Classes:
 - a. Cookies OR Cupcakes (you may NOT enter or bring both)
 - i. No more than ½ dozen cookies OR cupcakes per exhibitor.
 - ii. Entries should be placed in/on a disposable, non-breakable, and clean container.
 - iii. Entries must be covered using a clear container, plastic, or plastic baggie.
 - b. Craft Projects (Hobby items, Drawings, Clothing, Jewelry, etc.)
 - i. No more than ONE craft project per exhibitor.
 - ii. Item should not exceed 3x3x3 ft. measurement.
 - iii. Entries that are not completely dry at the time of check-in will NOT be accepted.
 - c. Photography
 - i. No more than ONE photography entry per exhibitor.
 - ii. Photo entry should be 8x10 and inserted in a CLEAR plastic sleeve prior to fair check-in.
 - iii. Photo entry should be printed on standard photo paper only (glossy or matte).
6. All Awards and recognition will be equal for all exhibitors.