



FORT BEND COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION 2021 LAMB SHOW

CHAIRMAN: Bruce Stevenson

ONLINE ENTRY/PAPERWORK DEADLINE	Thursday, July 8, 2021	4:00 p.m.
TAG-IN	Saturday, July 10, 2021	7:30 – 9:30 a.m.
CHECK-IN	Monday, September 27, 2021	6:00 – 7:00 p.m.
LAMB SHOW	Tuesday, September 28, 2021	6:30 p.m.
CHECK-OUT NON-PLACING	Wednesday, September 29, 2021	5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
CHECK-OUT PLACING	Sunday, October 3, 2021	7:30 – 10:00 a.m.

MARKET LAMB SHOW

The top twenty (20) Market Lambs will sell in the Jr. Livestock Auction. The next fifteen (15) placing Market Lambs of exhibitors not eligible for the Jr. Livestock Auction may be eligible for the Freezer Sale (see Freezer Sale Rules for eligibility).

AWARDS

- Grand Champion Lamb – Buckle & Banner
- Reserve Champion Lamb – Buckle & Banner
- Champion Senior Lamb Showmanship – Buckle
- Reserve Senior Lamb Showmanship – Trophy
- Champion Intermediate Lamb Showmanship – Buckle
- Reserve Intermediate Lamb Showmanship – Trophy
- Champion Junior Lamb Showmanship – Buckle
- Reserve Junior Lamb Showmanship – Trophy
- Class Champions – Rosette

RULES

1. All market Lamb entries are subject to the Fort Bend County Fair Association General Rules and Regulations and the Livestock General Rules and Regulations.
2. *****Prior to tag-in, exhibitors are required to submit their entry and \$20.00 entry fee online at <https://fbcfa.fairwire.com> no later than July 8, 2021. All lambs must be brought to Fairgrounds for tagging and tattooing on July 10, 2020. All paperwork must be submitted by July 8, 2021. Online Entry will only allow the exhibitor to enter one lamb online. The exhibitor can still tag-in multiple lambs. Each exhibitor will only be allowed to bring one lamb to official check-in at Fair time. If a late entry form is turned in at tag-in, Fort Bend County Fair will access a \$50.00 late fee along with the \$20.00 entry fee. *****
3. All tags, including breeder tags, will be removed at tag-in on July 10, 2021 except SCRAPIE, major or Texas State Fair validation tags.
4. All animals must remain in Fort Bend County unless written notification is received at the Fort Bend County Fair Office prior to departure. **Notification forms are attached to exhibit rules and must be submitted to the Fair Office at least 72 hours prior to leaving the county. Requests that are not received within 72 hours will be denied.** This notification must state where the animal will be and for how long. **Absence from the county must have special permission from the Livestock Chairman and Division Chairman/Co Chairman. Notification form must be signed and approved by the Livestock Chairman and Division Chairman/Co Chairman prior to animal leaving county and be filed at the FBCFA Office. Failure to abide by this rule will result in removal of project from show.** The animal must remain in the daily care of the exhibitor during the absence from the county, unless permission has been granted by the Division Chairman/Co-Chairman. This rule applies to leaving the county for TCCA shows, or any other related shows, grooming, hoof-trimming, or vet care. If an animal must leave Fort Bend County for emergency vet care, the Division Chairman or Co-Chairman must be notified within 48 hours.

5. Lambs must be wethers or ewes and weigh a minimum of one hundred (100) pounds. The scales will be certified at Fair time. At check-in time at Fair, Lambs will have one weigh in with a three (3) pound variance given at official check-in at Fair.
6. NO ALTERNATES WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE OFFICIAL FAIR WEIGH-IN.
7. No animal, once checked in at Fair time, may leave the interior-gated premises until designated check-out times. Any animal observed out of the fenced area (i.e., parking lot) is subject to disqualification.
8. The Division Chairman along with a Director in Charge and Livestock Superintendent/Livestock Assistant Superintendent will assist to determine the number of classes based upon the number of entries at Fair time. Classes will be divided as evenly as possible by weight. The number of animals sold in the Junior Livestock Auction will remain the same.
9. Exhibitors called back for Showmanship must show their own project (animal) – no substitute project (animal) allowed.
10. **Judge's decision is final.**
11. Exhibitor will be responsible for providing his/her own pine shavings.
12. NO ARTIFICIAL COLORS OR ADDITIVES ARE TO BE USED ON SHEEP. Lambs must be slick shorn prior to arrival, no more than ¼ inch. Touch-up clipping will be allowed with scissors or battery powered clippers. **Violation of this rule will subject exhibitor to disqualification.**
13. The top twenty (20) placing Lambs making the Jr. Livestock Auction must remain in the barn for the duration of the Fair. Non-placing Lambs may remain to participate in Project Presentation. Release of non-placing Lambs will be the next day, **September 29, 2021 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** Any non-placing lambs not checking out at the posted time must remain in the barn for the duration of the Fair.
14. Check out for all LAMBS making the Jr. Livestock Auction or the Freezer Sale will be on **Sunday, October 4, 2020 from 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.** as outlined in the Fort Bend County Fair Livestock Schedule. **Exhibitors must attend to clean up their pen/stall/area/tear down one pen or four panels to receive their disposition papers. Exhibitors MUST clean out pens when checking out their lamb.**

All exhibits must be owned by the exhibitor. All exhibits must be an actual part of the exhibitor's current project under his or her individual management and/or regular daily care. Net profits must terminate with exhibitor. Exhibitors must present evidence of ownership from the date of validation of the project initiation as required by the various departments.

All exhibitors must comply with the general rules of the Livestock Department and the Fort Bend County Fair. All exhibitors must have a Release of Liability on file in the Fair office in order to participate in activity on the Fairgrounds, only one release per exhibitor per year is required.

All sellers MUST submit a thank-you letter to his/her buyer and add-on contributors which must be received at the Fair Office on or before November 18th. The Fair office will forward thank-you letters to the buyer(s) and add-on contributors. Thank-you letters MUST be addressed to the buyer/add-on contributors, have the exhibitor's return address and stamp (see below for reference).

Exhibitor Name Address City, State Zip	Stamp
Business Name Contact Name Address City, State Zip	

- Auction payments will not be released until Buyer Thank You Letters, **Add-On Contributor Thank You Letters** and required paperwork are received by Fair Office.
- **Auction checks will be available for pick up in the Fair Office on Tuesday, November 30th from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. All thank you letters and required paperwork must have been received by November 18th to pick up your check on November 30th. Checks that are not picked up on November 30th will be mailed out Wednesday, December 1st. **There will be a two-week processing period for letters and required paperwork turned in after the November 18th deadline. The check will be mailed out.****
 - a) **If Parent/Guardian is picking up the check, they must present a valid driver's license that matches the address listed on ShoWorks.**
 - b) **If the Exhibitor is picking up the check, they must present a student photo ID.**
- Exhibitors who sell poultry or rabbits, **MUST** make arrangements with the buyer within two weeks of the last day of the Fair.