

### Market Hog Rules

1. **Hogs must be barrows or gilts and weigh between 220-285 lbs.**
2. Each exhibitor is limited to two individual entries.
3. Hogs will be weighed and divided into equal size classes.
4. **No oil or powder will be allowed. Mkt. price will be forfeited**
5. Hogs weighing less than 220 lbs. or more than 285 lbs. will not be considered for Champion.

### Market Lamb Rules

1. Lambs must be wethers or ewes with all baby teeth and must weigh between 75-145 lbs.
2. Each exhibitor is limited to two individual entries.
3. Lambs will be weighed and divided into equal size classes.
4. **All lambs must comply with the USDA Scrapies Eradication Program.**
5. Lambs weighing less than 75 lbs. or more than 145 lbs. will not be considered for Champion.

### Market Goat Rules

1. Goats must be wethers or does with all baby teeth and must weigh between 50-115 lbs.
2. Each exhibitor is limited to two individual entries.
3. Goats will be weighed and divided into equal size classes.
4. **All Goats must comply with the USDA Scrapies Eradication Program.**
5. **All horns must be dulled, tipped or blunted.**
6. Goats weighing less than 50 lbs. or more than 115 lbs. will not be considered for Champion.

### Showmanship - Beef, Swine, Lambs & Goats

1. This class will be open only to exhibitors of shown species.
2. Judging may be based on 25% fitting and 75% showmanship. Exhibitors are encouraged to do their own grooming and fitting.
3. Appropriate attire, 4-H Chevrons or FFA Jacket and proper show equipment is required. Shirts and jeans should be neat and clean for the show and sale. No hats allowed.

### Achievement - for 5 to 8 Year Old

1. Youth, under the age of 9 as of January 1, 2008, will only participate in educational showmanship classes for lambs, hogs and goats.
2. Each child in this category will be allowed to sell his animal at auction. Record books and thank you letters will be required.
3. Each child in the achievement class will be recognized with a ribbon of achievement for meeting the educational objectives.

# YOUTH LIVESTOCK SHOW AND SALE

March 24, 25 & 26, 2008  
Rules and Regulations



### ELIGIBILITY

1. 4-H members, Vo. Ag. students, and youth currently enrolled in Johnston County Schools (K-12) or their principle residence is in Johnston County will be eligible to participate. **A special class for fun will be offered for adults.**
2. An "OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM" must be completed and on file at the Cooperative Extension Center prior to participant entering the show. (See #8 under general Rules)
3. In order to receive a check for your livestock all show participants must have on file at the Cooperative Extension Center:
  - A. An "Official Show Record Book", including a story.
  - B. A "Thank You" letter to the buyer of your animal in a stamped, correctly address envelope provided by the participant.

NOTE: Checks will not be delivered until payments have been received from the buyers.
4. Exhibitors must show their own animals unless exempt by a physical hardship which must be granted by the Show Committee.

## General Rules and Regulations

1. All livestock must be delivered and weighed in at the Johnston County Livestock Arena Monday before the show and remain over night. **Animals may be weighed a second time on entry day before 6:00 PM.**
2. An exhibitor may own two hogs or two lambs or two goats in the same class but must allow a second registered participant to show the second animal.
3. EXHIBITORS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO FIT THEIR OWN ANIMALS.
4. During the show no adults except designated ring committee members will be allowed in ring. (Except in under age 9 Group)
5. Each exhibitor or buyer assumes all liabilities in case of sickness, death or injury to his animals. The exhibitor is responsible until the animal is sold, returned and properly tied or penned in the barn, at which time the buyer assumes the liability.
6. All identification materials for the animals (except scrapies tags) will be supplied by the J C Youth Livestock Show and Sale.
7. All animals must meet the requirements of the show before they can be exhibited. No stags or steers with horns exceeding 1 inch will be allowed to show.
8. Registration for the Johnston County Livestock Show will be November 1, 2007 for all animals. Tagging will be:  
Steers- November, Heifers & Market Hogs-January,  
Lambs and Goats- February
9. Each participant should secure a buyer for his animal.
10. **ALL ANIMALS WEIGHING ABOVE THE MAXIMUM LIMITS WILL BE AUCTIONED OFF AT THE MAXIMUM WEIGHT LIMIT.**  
(1400 lbs. steers, 145 lbs. lambs, 115 lbs. goat, 285 lbs. swine)
11. Each participant can only sell one animal in the sale ring (You can enter steer, hog, goat or lamb but can only sell one in the ring).

## Sales Procedures

1. All animals, with the exception of heifers, which are entered into the livestock show must be sold with buyers making prompt payment to the show and sale account.  
(See #11 under General Rules.)
2. Heifers will not be sold.
3. All hogs must be sold for immediate slaughter.
4. All swine, lamb and goat exhibitors must designate one animal from their entry to be sold individually at auction on entry day. If no designation is made, the show manager will make the designation in the following order of preference:  
1) steer, 2) heavier hog, 3) heavier lamb. 4) heavier goat.
5. All Grand Champions and Reserve Champions selected will automatically be the designated sale animal for that exhibitor.
6. **Any lamb, goat or steer that will be taken back home must be designated at weigh-in.**

## Steer Rules

1. Steers must weigh between 900 and 1400 lbs. Horns must not exceed 1 inch. No stags allowed.
2. Only one steer by any participant will be allowed.
3. Steers shown must be thoroughly broken to the halter. The ring master may dismiss any steer from the ring which, in his opinion poses a threat to the other exhibitors or animals. Owners must remove the dismissed animal immediately and may not return. Dismissed animals are disqualified from the class and will not be placed. Dismissed steers will be auctioned but will remain tied in the barn.
4. Steers will be weighed and divided into equal size classes.
5. All animals will be graded at the event.
6. Steers weighing less than 900 lbs. or more than 1400 lbs. will not be considered for Champion.

## Heifer Rules

1. The Johnston County Youth Heifer Show is open to all predominately beef breeds of cattle.
2. Heifers eligible for the show will be split into two classes depending on heifer age. Heifers must be born between Jan. 1, 2006 and Dec. 31, 2007. Ages of heifers given at tagging.
3. Heifers must not have calved.
4. Participants may show only one heifer.
5. Heifers must be thoroughly halter broken. The ring master may dismiss any heifer from the ring which, in his opinion, poses a threat to the other exhibitors or animals. Exhibitor must remove the dismissed animal immediately and may not return. Dismissed animals are disqualified from the class and will not be placed. No premiums will be given for dismissed animals.
6. Participants may use a heifer or steer for Showmanship Class.
7. Premiums for each heifer class will be offered as follows:  
1st place \$75.00, 2nd place \$75.00, and other placing \$50.00.
8. In the championship Heifer class, a trophy plus \$75.00 will be awarded the Champion and a trophy plus \$50.00 for Reserve Champion.
9. Heifers must be in the care of the exhibitor by Jan. 1 of the show year.

