

2017

**GWINNETT COUNTY
FAIR**

**LIVESTOCK
EXHIBITOR
INFORMATION
BOOKLET**

SEPTEMBER 14-24, 2017

Gwinnett County Fair
2405 Sugarloaf Parkway
P.O. Box 1352
Lawrenceville, GA 30046
770-963-6522

Dear Exhibitors,

We hope you enjoy the livestock competition at the Gwinnett County Fair. We are dedicated to presenting well-organized shows with spirited competition and quality animals. All of the information in this book is available on our website: www.gwinnettcountyfair.com

We hope that you enjoy your visit. Listed below are the board members and staff that make the livestock shows possible. If we can be of assistance, please do not hesitate to call on us.

Livestock Committee

Bill Atkinson
John H. Lovin
Gary Farmer

Officers:

Fred Banks - President
Roger Sartor - Treasurer

Bill Atkinson - Vice President
Randy Davis - Secretary

Other Directors:

Ron Davis
James Freeman
Kelly Parham

Staff:

Dale Thurman-Fair Manager
Kathy Ruark-Secretary / Isabel Stafford-Bookkeeper

SHOW DATES & TIMES CHECK-IN INFORMATION

Wednesday	September 13 th	Santa Gertrudis check-in 3pm-6pm
Thursday	September 14 th	Santa Gertrudis Show – 6pm
Friday	September 15 th	Market Lamb and Breeding Ewe check-in and weight-in –11am – 2pm Combined Showmanship – 5pm Market Lamb Show – following showmanship Breeding Ewe Show – following Market Lamb Show
Saturday	September 16 th	Meat Goat check-in and weigh -in - 7:30am -10:30am Meat Goat Show – 11:30am (starting with showmanship) Simmental, Simmental Percentage & Fleckvieh check-in – 8:00am -11am
Sunday	September 17 th	Angus-Hereford Check-in – 8am – 11am Fleckvieh Show – 11:30am Combined Breed Showmanship – following Fleckvieh Show Simmental Show – following Showmanship Simmental Percentage Show – following Simmental Show
Monday	September 18 th	Judging Contest Registration-1pm (see website for more information) Judging Contest Orientation 1:45pm Hereford Show- 5pm Combined Breed Showmanship – following Hereford Show Angus Show – following Showmanship
Tuesday	September 19 th	Open Sheep Show Check-in – 1pm -5pm
Wednesday	September 20 th	Charolais – Red Angus -Chi - Shorthorn- Other Breeds check-in – 2pm-4:30pm Open Sheep Show Check-in – 8:00am – 12:00n Open Sheep Show – 5pm
Thursday	September 21 st	Commercial Heifer and Steer check/weigh-in – 2 pm – 5pm Charolais Show – 5:30pm Red Angus Show – following the Charolais Show Chi-Influence Show – following the Red Angus Show Other Registered Breeds Show-following Chi-Influence Show Combined Breed Showmanship – following Other Breeds Show Gelbvieh Show – following Showmanship Shorthorn Show – following Gelbvieh
Friday	September 22 nd	Dairy Heifer check/weigh-in – 1pm – 5pm Commercial Heifer Show – 5:00 p.m. Combined Breed Showmanship – following Commercial Heifer Show Steer Show – following Showmanship
Saturday	September 23 rd	Swine check/weigh-in – 8am – 3pm Dairy Goat Check-in – 2pm through 9:30 am Sunday Dairy Heifer Show – 1pm
Sunday	September 24 th	Sunday School – 8:00am Swine Show – 9:00am - Small Arena Dairy Goat Show – 10:00 am –Large Arena

LIVESTOCK RULES

Cattle and Entry Information:

- **All cattle must have a valid health certificate.** Health papers will be checked. There will be a GA Dept. of Agriculture official present to check animals upon unloading. It is strongly recommended that each animal be vaccinated. Animals must have a legible tattoo.
- **Arrive with your livestock on date and check-in times listed. For emergencies call Gwinnett County Fairgrounds 770-963-6522 or Kelly Parham 770-309-5533.**

Breed shows offered: Angus, Charolais, Chi-Influence, Commercial Dairy Heifers, Commercial Heifers, Fleckvieh, Gelbvieh, Hereford, Limousin, Red Angus, Santa Gertrudis, Other Registered Breeds, Shorthorn, Simmental, Simmental Percentage and Steer. All animals must be registered with their association except commercial heifers, dairy heifers, and steers. A registered animal may only show in either the breed show or the commercial show not both. No registered percentage will be shown with purebred, ex: Balancer, Appendix. The Show committee will inspect registration certificates. **Junior entries must be registered in the junior's name.**

Junior/Open Show combined. Junior and Open exhibitors will show in the same show. Juniors showing in open and junior are required to pay two entry fees. **Junior Exhibitor is defined as not completed 12th grade in school.** Juniors must show their own animal in class unless two animals are in the same class and another junior be that showperson. No adult can accompany junior exhibitors in the ring. Junior exhibitors that cannot handle their animal will be dismissed from the ring. Junior entries must be in the junior's name not in farm name.

****All beef exhibitors must be 9 years old before January 1, 2018 to show in the 2017 show.** A Peewee class will be offered each night before the first show. There will be no entry fee and only ribbons will be awarded. Each exhibitor must be accompanied by an adult.

Entry fee - \$15 per animal for Junior show AND \$15 for Open show. Fee for Santa Gertrudis show: \$20. These fees must accompany entry form- Checks are to be made out to **Gwinnett County Fair**. **DO NOT SEND CASH. Entry must be postmarked by August 15th.** Late entries not mailed by this date must be approved by Livestock Committee. **A minimum of 15 head of cattle will constitute a show based on the entries at the deadline.** If show does not meet requirements exhibitors will be notified.

*****All premiums will be paid in cash. Exhibitors will receive a voucher with their ribbon in the ring. Make sure you receive the correct voucher before leaving ringside. Vouchers must be brought to the window at the livestock office by the end of the fair.t*****

All animals are required to stay on premises until after the completion of show. Animals must be tied out at night. **Tie out time is 8:00 p.m. If animals remain in the barn, a person must be present with the animals until the fairground closes that night to keep the bed area clean.** Bedding will be provided in the barn. No straw allowed in barn. Each exhibitor must furnish their own feed and care for animals. **Beds and area must be cleaned by 9:00 a.m. the following morning of stay at fair. No dogs are allowed in the barn.**

Blocking chutes will be allowed in specific areas only. All blocking chutes must be kept inside big arena. No chutes in the isles of the barn. Curtains allowed over display area only. No curtains allowed over cattle. Only signs will be allowed. Tack area assigned on arrival. **No butt fans allowed.**

Commercial Heifers, Steers, and Commercial Dairy Heifers will be shown by weight. Steer must have been born after September 1, 2016. **Steer, Commercial Heifer, Commercial Dairy Show is only for Juniors (4-H & FFA).** Classes for Commercial Heifers and Steers will be divided after weigh in. Commercial Dairy Heifers must weigh 500 lbs and not over 1250 lbs to be eligible to show. All Commercial Dairy Heifers and Steers must be dehorned and healed. Commercial Dairy Heifers must be born between March 1st and September 30th, 2016.

Class Prize Money: 1st-\$75; 2nd-\$60; 3rd-\$45; 4th-\$30; 5th-\$20; 6^h – 10th-\$15

Grand Champion-\$100; Reserve Grand Champion-\$50

Classes with no competition will receive 1st place ribbon and 2nd place money. The fair reserves the right to change, combine or delete classes or breed shows offered depending on entries.

Herdsmen Award: Competition will be judged on animals displayed for public viewing. Stall cards, displays and manure kept in appropriate containers will count toward award. **If there are no deserving awards no plaques will be distributed.** This award will be mailed upon completion of the fair.

A photographer will be on site daily for photos. More information is available on our website.

*****Questions about shows and/or arrival schedule may be directed to Bill Atkinson-770-235-0680 or Gary Farmer -706-207-8539. Entry questions may be directed to Kelly Parham-770-309-5533 or gwinnettfairlivestock@gmail.com.*****

Showmanship Classes:

Exhibitors in showmanship must be entered in show and show their own animal.

Time of showmanship will be decided once all animals are checked in.

Prize Money: 1st - \$75; 2nd - \$60; 3rd - \$45; 4th - \$30; 5th - \$20. ***For showmanship only***, cattle exhibitors that place 6th and below will receive a \$15.00 incentive premium. **This premium is offered only in cattle competitions.**

The following classes of showmanship are offered:

1. Showmanship - 4th Grade
2. Showmanship - 5th - 6th Grade
3. Showmanship - 7th - 8th Grade
4. Showmanship - 9th - 10th Grade
5. Showmanship - 11th - 12th Grade

****Commercial Heifers (Show #14), Steer (Show #22) and Commercial Dairy Heifers (Show #13) are junior only shows and may only be exhibited by juniors and will be divided by weight after check-in****

CLASSES FOR:

Show #10-Angus

Show #15-Gelbvieh

Show #18-Other Reg. Breeds

Show #21-Simmental Percent

Show #11-Charolais

Show #16-Hereford

Show #19-Shorthorn

Show #24-Fleckvieh

Show #12-Chi-Influence

Show #17-Red Angus

Show #20-Simmental

1. Late Junior Heifer Calves - calved March 2017 and later
2. Early Junior Heifer Calves calved January - February 2017
3. Late Senior Heifer Calves calved November to December 2016
4. Early Senior Heifer Calves calved September to October 2016
5. Late Summer Yearling Heifers calved July to August 2016
6. Early Summer Yearling Heifers calved May to June 2016
7. Late Junior Yearling Heifers calved March to April 2016
8. Early Junior Yearling Heifers calved January to February 2016
9. Late Senior Yearling Heifers calved November - December 2015
10. Early Senior Yearling Heifers calved September - October 2015
11. Grand Champion Female
12. Reserve Grand Champion Female
13. Cow - Calf Pair (not eligible for Grand and Reserve Champion female)

BULL CLASSES WILL BE DIVIDED UPON ENTRIES.

Bulls 1 year of age and over must have nose ring or nose clip. No bulls over 3 years old.

SANTA GERTRUDIS POINT SHOW- SHOW #23

A: An entry fee of \$20 is charged per animal for the Santa Gertrudis Show.

B: There must be at least five exhibitors and twenty-five head of cattle, or a minimum of 50 head of cattle to constitute a recognized Santa Gertrudis Show.

C: All Senior Bull Classes (late junior yearling and over) must have either a nose ring or nose clip for show purposes.

D: Heifers 24 months of age or older must have produced a calf or be safe in calf as verified by a graduated veterinarian to be eligible.

Animals may be weighed. All animals must be individually identified by tattoo, numerical firebrand or freeze brand.

E: SGBI reserves the right to tooth animals without prior notice to the breeder in order to verify age. In addition, urine samples may also be taken.

F: The judge has been approved by SGBI. **All SGBI rules will be applied and followed.**

G: Classes approved by the Santa Gertrudis Breeders International will be used. There will be an open show only.

H: Class prize money will be the same as other breed shows. There will be no money awarded for division champions, reserve division champions, best of polled award male and female, produce of dam and get of sire.

1. Early Summer Heifer Calf- 5/1/17 – later
2. Late Junior Heifer Calf -3/1/17 – 4/30/17
3. Early Junior Heifer Calf – 1/1/16 -2/28/16
4. Late Senior Heifer Calf – 11/1/16 – 12/31/16
5. Early Senior Heifer Calf – 9/1/16 – 10/31/16
6. Champion Heifer Calf
7. Reserve Champion Heifer
8. Late Summer Yearling Heifer – 7/1/16 – 8/31/16
9. Early Summer Yearling Heifer – 5/1/16 – 6/30/16
10. Late Junior Yearling Heifer – 3/1/16 – 4/30/16
11. Early Junior Yearling Heifer – 1/1/16 – 2/28/16
12. Champion Yearling Heifer
13. Reserve Champion Yearling Heifer
14. Late Senior Yearling Heifer – 10/1/15 – 12/31/15
15. Early Senior Yearling Heifer – 7/1/15 – 9/30/15
16. Late Two-Year-Old Heifer – 4/1/15 – 6/30/15
17. Early Two-Year-Old Heifer – 1/1/15 – 3/31/15
18. Champion Senior Heifer
19. Reserve Champion Senior Heifer
20. Grand Champion Female
21. Reserve Champion Female
22. Best of Polled Female Award
23. Early Summer Bull Calf – 5/1/17 – later
24. Late Junior Bull Calf – 3/1/17 – 4/30/17
25. Early Junior Bull Calf – 1/1/17 – 2/28/17
26. Late Senior Bull Calf – 11/1/16 – 12/31/16
27. Early Senior Bull Calf – 9/1/16 – 10/31/16
28. Champion Bull Calf
29. Reserve Champion Bull Calf
30. Late Summer Yearling Bull – 7/1/16 – 8/31/16
31. Early Summer Yearling Bull – 5/1/16 – 6/30/16
32. Late Junior Yearling Bull – 3/1/16 – 4/30/16
33. Early Junior Yearling Bull – 1/1/16 – 2/28/16
34. Champion Yearling Bull
35. Reserve Champion Yearling Bull
36. Late Senior Yearling Bull – 10/1/15 – 12/31/15
37. Early Senior Yearling Bull – 7/1/15 – 9/30/15
38. Late Two-Year-Old Bull – 4/1/15 – 6/30/15
39. Early Two-Year-Old Bull 1/1/15 – 3/31/15
40. Aged Bull – 7/1/14 – 12/31/14
41. Champion Senior Bull
42. Reserve Champion Senior Bull
43. Grand Champion Bull
44. Reserve Grand Champion Bull
45. Best of Polled Male
46. Produce of Dam
47. Get-of-Sire

Swine

Show date is Sunday September 24th with check in on Saturday the 23th

*******A LIMIT OF 3 ENTRIES PER EXHIBITOR AND ALL ENTRIES MUST WEIGH A MINIMUM OF 180LBS AT CHECK-IN – PLEASE DO NOT BRING ANY ANIMAL THAT WILL NOT MEET WEIGHT REQUIREMENT*******

****If you bring only one animal, you MUST bring a pen divider so that your animal can share a pen without any potential issues.**

****Pen assignments will be made and posted at check in.**

Entry fee of \$10 must accompany entry. Do not send cash
Open to Georgia 4-H, FFA and Youth Pre-club exhibitors only.

All exhibitors must show their own animal.

All swine must have valid health certificate. All swine must be trained for showing.

Shows offered:

Market Barrows—shown by weight

Market Gilts—shown by weight

Commercial Breeding Gilts—shown by weight

Registered Breeding Gilts—shown by breed and birthdate. If there are less than seven (7) head of a breed they will be shown as Other Breeds.

Swine should be clipped prior to arrival to the fairgrounds.

Prize Money: 1st - \$50; 2nd - \$40; 3rd - \$30; 4th - \$20; 5th - \$15, 6th – 10th --\$10.

Grand Champion: \$100 Reserve Champion: \$50

Showmanship will receive same prizes as class. (Pays only 1st – 5th place) Showmanship participants must be entered and show their own animal.

Market Goats

Show date is Saturday September 16th at 11:30--checkin will begin at 7:30am*****

Maximum of 3 head per exhibitor -Minimum weight will be 35lbs—PLEASE DO NOT BRING ANY ANIMAL THAT WILL NOT MEET WEIGHT REQUIREMENT

****Pen assignments will be made and posted at check in.**

Show is open to Georgia Junior exhibitors ONLY.

Entry fee \$10 per animal—Do not send cash

All goats must have a valid health certificate. Animals must have their milk teeth in normal position at the time of the show. Loss of one or both of the milk teeth will result in disqualification. Horns must be tipped or removed and completely healed. Goats will be shown by weight. **No bracing allowed.** Classes will be divided upon completion of weigh-in.

Show will be open to any breed, wethers, does or crossbred. No bucks allowed.

There will be separate shows for does and wethers.

Exhibitors will be responsible for care and feeding of animals. Clipping and fitting is encouraged but not required.

Class Prize Money: 1st - \$50; 2nd - \$40 3rd - \$30; 4th - \$20; 5th - \$15, 6th – 10th--\$10.

Grand Champion: \$100 **Reserve Grand Champion:** \$50

If there is no competition, exhibitor will receive 1st place ribbon and 2nd place money

Showmanship breakdown: Prize money same as class money. **Pays only 1st-5th place.** You must own and be entered in show to be eligible to compete.

- K – 2nd grade
- 3rd – 5th grade
- 6th – 8th grade
- 9th – 10th grade
- 11th – 12th grade

2017 OPEN SHEEP SHOW

4:00pm Wednesday, September 20, 2017

Check-in: Tuesday 1pm-5pm

Wednesday 8am – 12n

1. This show is co-sponsored by the Georgia Sheep and Wool Growers Association for the following breeds: Cheviots, Hampshires, Oxfords, Polled Dorsets, Shropshires, Southdowns, Suffolk, Tunis, & all others.
2. Gwinnett County Fair and Livestock Association will not be held responsible for any animal or property. Georgia Department of Agriculture Rules MUST be followed. Health papers will be collected and animals will be inspected by state inspectors.
3. Entries close Monday August 15th, however, if space is available, entries will be accepted later. Entry forms are available on the Gwinnett County Fair website.
4. A charge of \$10.00 per animal must accompany entries. Shavings will be provided for bedding. No straw allowed.
5. Classes with one entry will receive Blue Ribbon and 2nd place prize money.
6. All exhibition animals must be recorded by recognized breed Associations. If requested, registration or transfer certificate showing the exhibitor to be the owner must be produced.
7. All entries should be made on printed forms or copies, which may be obtained from the Secretary upon request, giving name, registry number, breed, ear tag number, and the date of birth of each animal. Animals to compose a competitive group need not be named when making entries, but the exhibitor must indicate the group prizes in which he wishes entries made.
8. There must be at least 2 exhibitors per breed show, otherwise the animals will be shown in the AOB show.
9. Flock: To consist of two yearling ewes, two ewe lambs and one ram.
10. Ear tags must be made legible before the time of the exhibition in order that the superintendent may easily check flock and registration number after the judge has made the placings.
11. September 1st is to be used as the base date for computing ages of sheep in all classes but only those animals that have lamb teeth will be eligible to show in lamb classes.
12. Animals will be released Wednesday evening after the completion of the show.
13. Prize will be paid up to 4 places: 1st - \$20, 2nd - \$15, 3rd - \$12, 4th - \$10 Grand Champion- \$50, Res. Grand Champion- \$25.

Ram Classes:

1. Senior Ram Lamb, Sept 1 – Dec 31, 2016
2. Early Junior Ram, Jan 1 – Feb 15, 2017
3. Late Junior Ram, Feb 16, 2017 – later
4. Pair of Rams
5. Champion Ram
6. Reserve Champion Ram

Ewe Classes

7. Senior Yearling Ewe, Sept 1, 2015 – Feb 15, 2016
8. Junior Yearling Ewe, Feb 16, 2016 – Aug 31, 2016
9. Pair Yearling Ewes
10. Senior Ewe Lamb, Sept 1 – Dec 31, 2016
11. Senior Champion (Rosette only)
12. January Ewe Lamb
13. February Ewe Lamb
14. March Ewe Lamb
15. Pair Ewe Lambs
16. Junior Champion (Rosette only)
17. Champion Ewe
18. Reserve Champion Ewe
19. Pen of 4 Lambs
20. Flock

2016 SOUTHEAST EMPIRE LAMB AND BREEDING EWE SHOW

Show date is Friday September 15th

Rules and Regulations

Entry forms are available at www.gwinnettcountyfair.com
You may use a copy of your state market lamb entry form

Check details or any questions with your agent or advisor before sending in your entry. This show is handled through the University of Georgia / Dr. Ronnie Silcox.

Eligibility:

Market Lambs: This show is open to any Georgia 4-H or FFA exhibitor. Exhibitors must comply with all state show rules regarding age, ownership and eligibility. Lambs will be shown by weight. (See Georgia 4-H/FFA State Livestock Show rules and regulations).

Breeding Ewes: This show is open to any Georgia 4-H or FFA exhibitor who is eligible to enter under the Georgia State Breeding Ewe Show. See Georgia State 4H/FFA State Livestock Show Rules and Regulations (http://www.georgia4h.org/livestock/state_livestock_show.htm)

A sheep cannot be entered in both the Market Lamb and the Breeding Ewe show.

Health Certificates: Certificates of veterinary inspection are required on all lambs exhibited.

Entry Fee and Deadline: **\$10.00 entry fee per animal.** Entry fees are nonrefundable. Entry forms and payments must be sent to the **Gwinnett County Fair** and postmarked by **August 15th, 2017.** Make checks payable to Gwinnett County Fair.

Mail entries and fee to:

Gwinnett County Fair
Southeast Empire Lamb/Sheep Show
P.O. Box 1352
Lawrenceville, GA 30046

Number of Entries: A maximum of three (3) lambs per exhibitor will be allowed. A maximum of four (4) breeding ewes per exhibitor will be allowed.

Classes: Lambs and Ewes will be classed and shown by weight.

Control: All lambs must be broken to handle and be under control at all times.

Penning: Pens will be assigned based on available space. All lambs must be penned in the barn in designated pens. No stalling in trailers. Counties will be penned together.

Showmanship: Exhibitors must show own animal. Showmanship will be by grade in school. Lambs must be entered in the regular show to be eligible for showmanship. All lambs and sheep must be shown in their natural conformation and structure without alteration by modification except for the grooming and treatment of the wool and trimming of hooves. No painting of lambs or ewes allowed.

Class Prize Money: 1st - \$50; 2nd - \$40 3rd - \$30; 4th - \$20; 5th - \$15, 6th – 10th--\$10.

Grand Champion: \$100 **Reserve Grand Champion:** \$50

If there is no competition, exhibitor will receive 1st place ribbon and 2nd place money

Showmanship: Prize money same as class money. **Pays only 1st-5th place.**

DAIRY GOAT SHOW

JUNIOR AND SENIOR DOE SHOW

Check in for Dairy Goats will be Saturday, September 23rd, beginning at 2pm and go through 9:30 Sunday, September 24th. All exhibitors must be in barn no later than 8:30am on Sunday.

This show is an official American Dairy Goat Association Show and their rules shall govern this competition and is open to the world.

The Senior and Junior Doe Shows are sanctioned separately for the following breeds: Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Oberhasli, Saanen, Sable, Toggenburg and Recorded grade. Breeds will show in that order.

We will offer our fun Milking Contest and Costume Contest again this year.

Base date for both shows is September 24th, 2017. There will be no pre-show milk outs.

All animals must have a valid health certificate. Refer to livestock requirement letter.

Classes will be standard breaks as other shows.

Rules and entry form for this show are available at www.gwinnettcountyfair.com or from John Latimer at the address below. Please direct all questions to him.

Contact person: John Latimer, Secretary- 1540 McRee's Mill Road, Watkinsville, GA 30677—Phone (706) 202-3220—Email Address: llacres@juno.com

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR EXHIBITION OF LIVESTOCK IN GEORGIA

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

All livestock exhibitions must apply to the Department of Agriculture for an exhibition permit. The management of the exhibition is responsible for obtaining the permit. For information call (404) 656-3667. No livestock will be allowed entry onto the show grounds without the proper health records and tests required.

A veterinarian, Georgia Department of Agriculture personnel or other qualified person may be present to examine all livestock prior to exhibition.

An official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection must show proof of the requirements for the appropriate species.

CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS:

All animals being exhibited in any type of livestock show (local, county, area, district, or state) must have an official certificate of veterinary inspection (health certificate). The certificate of veterinary inspection must be issued within 30 days of the exhibition with the following exceptions:

Certificate of Veterinary Inspection exceptions will be the following:

1. For Georgia cattle, swine, goats and exotic animals exhibiting in Georgia 4-H and FFA shows, the certificate of veterinary inspection and required tests shall be valid for 4 months (or less if specified by show management).
2. For Georgia sheep exhibiting in Georgia 4-H and FFA shows, a certificate of veterinary inspection must be issued by a veterinarian and must be updated and signed every 30 days during the show season (up to 4 months) by a veterinarian, county extension agent, or vocational agriculture teacher. The examiner must sign and record the following statement on the certificate: "To the best of my knowledge, the animals being exhibited are free from any clinical signs consistent with those of footrot, scabies, contagious ecthyma (soremouth), cutaneous fungal lesions, scrapie or any other infectious or contagious disease."
3. Market swine and market cattle will not require a certificate of veterinary inspection or any testing provided no breeding livestock are on the exhibition premises. Market lambs and market goats will require a certificate of veterinary inspection and individual identification as outlined in the section below entitled "Farm Animal Livestock Requirements". Sheep and goat wethers of any age are not required to be individually identified for exhibition. In addition, all market animals must either be consigned directly to slaughter with no animals from the show ground returning to a farm, or be consigned to another market show with confinement at the original show facility until movement. If market animals will be returning to a farm or if show management requires such, all animals on the show grounds must have proper certificates of veterinary inspection and must satisfy the appropriate test and identification requirements described below in the section "Farm Animal Livestock Requirements".

FARM ANIMAL LIVESTOCK REQUIREMENTS:

I. CATTLE

A. Brucellosis:

1. Georgia cattle have no brucellosis test requirements.
2. Out-of-state cattle must satisfy Georgia import requirements for brucellosis. (Regulations are contingent on state of origin - call (404) 656-3667 for current regulations).

B. Tuberculosis:

1. Georgia cattle have no tuberculosis test requirements.
2. Out-of-state must satisfy Georgia import requirements for tuberculosis. (Regulations are contingent on state of origin - call (404) 656-3667 for current regulations).

C. **Cattle from Missouri, South Dakota and Texas** must have an entry permit number from the Department of Agriculture (Call (404) 656-3667 Monday through Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm).

II. SWINE

A. Georgia swine:

1. All breeding swine 4 months of age and over must have a negative brucellosis and a negative pseudorabies test within 30 days of exhibition except:
 - a. Swine originating from a validated brucellosis free herd and a qualified pseudorabies free herd. Validation and qualification numbers and date of last test conducted must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection.
2. Market swine:
 - a. Gilts must have a negative brucellosis and a negative pseudorabies test within 30 days of exhibition unless originating from a validated brucellosis free herd and a qualified pseudorabies free herd. Validation and qualification numbers and date of the last herd test must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection.
 - b. Barrows must have a negative pseudorabies test within 30 days of exhibition unless originating from a qualified pseudorabies free herd. Qualification number and date of the last herd test must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection.
 - c. Slaughter swine may be exempt from the certificate of veterinary inspection and the test requirements if they qualify under the "Certificate of Veterinary Inspection Exceptions" section described above.

B. Out-of-state swine must enter on a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within 30 days of entry with the entry permit number and individual identification recorded. Test requirements for breeding swine and market swine are the same as "Georgia swine" requirements above. Note: Swine purchased and/or removed from the farm of a validated/qualified herd loses validated/qualified status at the time of transfer and will require the appropriate tests prior to exhibition.

C. Any exhibition of out-of-state swine must have an entry permit number from the Department of Agriculture. (Call (404) 656-3667 Monday through Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm).

III. SHEEP

- A. Georgia and out-of-state sheep must enter on a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within 30 days of the exhibition. All sheep, except wethers, must be identified with USDA approved individual animal identification to the flock of origin. Those sheep born after 1-1-2017 must be identified to the flock of birth and flock of origin if different. This information must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection. The following statement must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection for all sheep including wethers: "To the best of my knowledge, the animals being exhibited are free from any clinical signs consistent with those of footrot, scabies, contagious ecthyma (soremouth), cutaneous fungal lesions, scrapie or any other infectious or contagious disease."
- B. For Georgia 4-H and FFA sheep, see CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS above.
- C. Sheep may be inspected at the show facility for infectious and contagious diseases and those suspected of having disease will be removed from the show facility.

IV. GOATS

- A. Georgia and out-of-state goats must enter on a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within 30 days of the exhibition. All goats, except wethers, must be identified with USDA approved individual animal identification to the flock of origin. Those goats born after 1-1-2017 must be identified to the flock of birth and flock of origin if different. This information must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection. The following statement must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection for all goats including wethers: "To the best of my knowledge, the animals being exhibited are free from any clinical signs consistent with those of footrot, scabies, contagious ecthyma (soremouth), cutaneous fungal lesions, scrapie or any other infectious or contagious disease."
- B. For Georgia 4-H and FFA goats, see CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS above.
- C. Goats may be inspected at the show facility for infectious and contagious diseases and those suspected of having disease will be removed from the show facility.

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