

Matagorda County Fair & Livestock Association

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www.matagordacountyfair.com

2018 Livestock Judging Rules

Date: Friday – March 2, 2018

Location: Matagorda County Fairgrounds in Bay City.

Entry Fee: \$10 per person

Registration: Registration will be from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. across from the steer barn.
There will be no pre-registration.

Contest Begins: 9:00 a.m.

Contest Results: 1:00 p.m. in the Special Events Facility

Livestock Judging Chairman: Mark Kubecka-361-649-1838 Email: Markkubecka@gmail.com

Livestock Judging Co.Chairman: Tiffany McArthur-979-429-6980

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Teams may consist of four members, with the three highest scores being used. There will be a junior division (8th grade and below), and a senior division (9th-12th grade). In order for junior members to qualify for High Point Awards, they should **not** be placed on a Senior Team. The number of teams entered per chapter/club is unlimited.

The Livestock Judging Contest will consist of the following:

- 6 Classes and 2 Question Class

There will be eight minutes allowed for each class.

Official placing's will be posted following the contest or can be found at:

<http://www.judgingcard.com/CDEOnline/> or <http://www.matagordacountyfair.com/>

Scantrons will be used and will be provided by the Matagorda County Fair Association.

Awards will be as follows:

Overall:

Plaques for the top three teams in each division

Belt buckle for the high point individual in each division.

2nd & 3rd placing in each division will receive awards.

The Jr. & Sr. High Point individual of Matagorda Co. will receive a \$50 gift certificate.

TEAMS must be present at Award time to receive awards.

NO AWARDS WILL BE MAILED.

Horse & Livestock Judging Rules

- There will be **NO TALKING** once the contest begins. If you are seen talking during the contest you will be disqualified and asked to leave.
- Please turn **OFF** your cell phones during the contest. There will be no usage of cell phones at all, i.e. texting during the contest.
- Please stay with your assigned group until the contest is over.
- Ask your **GROUP LEADER** to request a bathroom break.
- Ask your **GROUP LEADER** questions about anything concerning this contest. Do not ask your neighbor!

Scantron Instructions

- Use #2 lead pencils only.
- Fill in your team number in the appropriate blanks and bubble in the numbers.
- Fill in and bubble in your name.
- Leave contestant number blank
- Pay close attention to class numbers while you are judging them and fill in the appropriate blanks.
- Do not fold or tear your scantron.
- Keep scantron clean and erase any mistakes
- Inform your group leader if any problems occur with your scantron

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Livestock Judging Entry Form

ONE FORM PER TEAM – please circle either junior or senior for each exhibitor. **Junior** – 8th grade and below or **Senior** – 9th – 12th grade.

4-H Club or FFA Chapter Name _____

Contestant's Name: _____ Jr. Sr.

_____ Jr. Sr.

_____ Jr. Sr.

_____ Jr. Sr.

Advisor/Agent/Leader _____

Address _____

City, TX Zip _____

Contact #: _____

Reminders:

No Pre-registration for this judging contest.

Please register your teams the morning of the contest between 7:30-8:30.

Entry fee is \$10 per person.

Please make checks payable to: **Matagorda County Fair Association**

If you need directions to the Matagorda Co. Fairgrounds, please go to the following website:

<http://www.matagordacountyfair.com/directions.htm>