

Crawford County Fair 4-H Livestock Master Showman Contest

Saturday, August 27, 2022

Livestock Arena

Jill Burnham, Chair

1. Judging will be done by a panel of judges.
2. Participants in this contest will be the Champion Showman of the following divisions: beef, sheep, swine and market goat. If the Champion Showman is unable to participate, the Reserve Champion Showman will be eligible. If one member wins more than one Champion Showman award, he or she may select which species they want to represent. The Reserve Champion of the other species will be eligible to compete. If Champion Showman is going to participate, they must email crawfordext@psu.edu or sign up at the 4-H Livestock office by 3 PM Thursday.
3. Master Showman winners from prior years are not eligible to participate.
4. If a species Champion Showman does not sign up to participate, the Reserve Champion Showman of that species will be eligible to compete.
5. All Champion showmen show as one class for each species in a "round robin" format allowing the exhibitor to show each of the species in a four round event.
6. Champion Showman of each species may use his/her own animal in the contest for that species and will need to have someone bring the animal selected to the ring for the species you are representing. Animals other than those selected by champions of each species will be selected by the officials of the contest. Contestants may be asked to switch animals among other contestants.
7. Participants need to report to the Livestock Office by Noon Saturday. The show will begin at 12:30 PM. You will receive an exhibitor number at this time.
8. Participants are responsible for finding their own show equipment that they would like to use and bring it to check in. If you do not have equipment, please borrow from a fellow 4-H member and let the committee know if you need help locating items. Equipment should include: a number harness, clip or safety pins; swine - whip, pipe or cane and brush; Beef - show stick and comb; Goat & Lamb - no additional equipment needed.
9. Contestants will be judged on showmanship ability, courtesy, sportsmanship, knowledge of the species for which they were chosen to be champion and proper equipment.
10. In the case of any dispute, the judges' decision will be final.