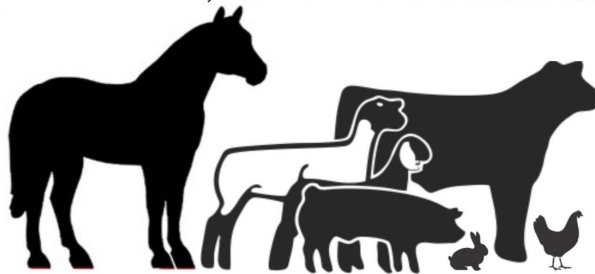


2023 Cooke County Jr. Livestock Show Rule Book



TODAY'S YOUTH, TOMORROW'S LEADERS



Livestock, Shop, FCS Shows
Premium Auction
Equine Show

January 4-6, 2023
January 7, 2023
January 2, 2023



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2023 Schedule of Events

*All events will take place at the Cooke County Fairgrounds Barn except the FCS show, which will be held at First Christian Church located at 401 N. Dixon St., Gainesville, TX

Monday, January 2, 2023

9:00am	Equine Check in
10:00am	Equine Show

Wednesday, January 4, 2023

8:00am	Steer Weigh in/ Classification Beef Heifer Registration Paper Check in
10:00am	Cattle Show (Dairy, Steers, Heifers) Poultry Show (following conclusion of heifer show)
12:00-5:00pm	FCS Drop Off/Check-in**

Thursday, January 5, 2023

7:30am	Rabbit Check in
8:00am	Rabbit Show (market then breeding) Lamb and Goat Weigh in/ Classification
9:00am	FCS Judging**
10:00am	Lamb Show (Breeding then market) Goat Show (Dairy, Breeding, Market)
4:00-6:00pm	FCS Project Viewing**
4:00 pm	Swine move in (or at the conclusion of goat show)
6:00-8:00 pm	Swine Weigh in/ Classification

Friday, January 6, 2023

9:00 am	Swine Show (breeding, then market)
2:00 pm	Abilities United Show (or at the Conclusion of Swine Show)
9:00am-noon	FCS Viewing**
10:00 am	Shop projects in place
12:00-1:00pm	FCS Pick Up **
1:00 pm	Shop Show

Saturday, January 7, 2023

Noon	Supporter's Luncheon
12:30 pm	United Way Group Photo
1:00 pm	Premium Sale



Entry Deadlines

All entries will be due **December 1, 2022**. All entries will be submitted online through a ShoWorks link posted on the CCJLS website. Approved/signed summary sheet from Ag teachers, FCS teachers, and County Extension Agents will be due to the show secretary by Friday, December 9.

ENTRY FEES:

\$15 per entry	Market & Breeding Sheep, Market, Breeding, and Dairy Goats, Market and Breeding Swine, Market Steers, Breeding Heifers, Dairy Cattle
\$12 per class	Equine
\$10 per entry	Market poultry, Market rabbits, Shop
\$6 per entry	FCS
\$5 per entry	Breeding poultry, Breeding rabbits

Late entries for an additional \$35 late fee (breeding animals) or \$15 (FCS projects) will be accepted no later than January 1, 2023. No late entries will be accepted for market animals. Late entries must be submitted to the show secretary.

Validation Deadlines

All market swine, sheep & goat species must be state validated. Steers may be state validated or county-only validated. Breeding Heifers must be registered in the exhibitor's name and state validated or show as commercial. Commercial breeding heifers must be county-only validated. See validation deadlines listed below. State validation tags must be ordered through 4-H Extension Agent or Ag Teacher. **Validation dates and locations will be announced and posted on the CCJLS.com website and Facebook page.**

October 25, 2022	Heifers (registered & commercial) & Steers
October 31, 2022	Sheep & Goats
November 30, 2022	Swine
December 12, 2022	Market Rabbits

Broiler Order Deadline

All broiler entries must come from one (1) county order. Each exhibitor must purchase a minimum of 25 birds. Order deadline is October 1, 2022. One check must accompany the FFA chapter or 4-H order. Make checks payable to "Valley View FFA". Ordering chicks DOES NOT enter the exhibitor in the junior livestock show. Entries must be made separately. No refunds will be made on chick orders. All orders must be placed through the County 4-H extension agent for 4-H members or Ag teachers for FFA members.



General Rules

ELIGIBILITY

1. Any youth enrolled in a Cooke County school of less than college level and resides in Cooke County that is a member of 4-H, FFA, FCCLA is eligible to enter. Youth who reside outside of Cooke County must designate which county he/she will be participating. Youth who have been banned from any other stock show are not eligible to compete. Students may compete in the following divisions based on membership:
 - FFA: Livestock, Equine, Shop
 - FCCLA: Food, Clothing, Textiles, Creative Arts, Art, Photography, Leather Shop Division
 - 4-H: All divisions
2. Current state UIL/TAPPS “No pass, No Play” rules will be enforced.
3. All animals must be shown and/or sold by the owner. The owner is defined as a member of FFA or 4-H who has validated the animal either within the state validation system or during the Cooke County JLS validation. The animal may be validated as a family entry by immediate family members as defined by the AgriLife Validation system.

Exceptions: major illness (accompanied by doctor’s note), death, religious, military, or any UIL/TAPPS competition above the district level. Exceptions MUST be approved by the CCJLS Board Grievance Committee prior to the show or sale date. If an exhibitor cannot exhibit or sale the animal due to an exception, it will be the responsibility of the Ag teacher, FCS teacher or extension agent to inform the Grievance Committee and provide an alternate name to exhibit the project. **students not in attendance for the premium sale due to an approved exception must notify the committee by 8am. In the case of an exhibitor showing more than one animal in the same weight class, a Cooke County 4-H or FFA member may show one of the animals.
4. Any complaint must be filed in writing by an Ag teacher, FCS teacher, or Extension agent, signed and submitted to the executive committee for action by the board. All complaints should be presented to the committee by 5:00pm on Friday of the week of the show along with a \$100 fee. The fee will be refunded only if the complaint is confirmed.
5. All animals will meet Texas Animal health requirements.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

6. All livestock must be placed on record and feed by the validation deadline, except for broilers and meat rabbits. No other animals will be added thereafter.
7. Entry fees will be applied as listed on page 5. No refunds will be made after the entry closing date.
8. Entry Summary sheets along with signature page and W9 forms will be due no later than December 9, 2022 from Ag teachers, extension agents, and FCS teachers.
9. A summary sheet listing all exhibitors from all groups for each division will be provided to the Ag teachers, extension agents, and FCS teachers for review and approval at the completion of the entry period and will be due back on December 9, 2022 to accompany the signature pages.
10. An exhibitor may enter as many market animals as desired. They must pay entry fees on all animals. They will be permitted to weigh in three (3) and show three (3) animals per market species and sell only one market entry.
11. Exhibitors may enter and show as many breeding animals as desired.
12. Female market animals can be changed to breeding classes. The same animals cannot be shown in market classes. Breeding animals cannot be changed to market classes.
13. An exhibitor may enter one entry per class in the Family and Consumer Science Show and not more than eight (8) entries, total, in the show. Only one item can sell in the premium sale.
14. All entries that qualify for the premium sale will be subject to a charge of \$6 for an official photograph that will be the exhibitor’s responsibility to provide to their buyer.



SPECIAL PROVISIONS

15. Junior showmanship (13 and under on date of the show) and senior showmanship (14 and over on date of show) classes in each livestock division will be judged. Exhibitors must show their own animal.
16. Exhibitor classes will be posted before show time.
17. Exhibitors in violation of the rules will be asked to remove the entry from the show by the Executive Committee. Exhibitors should practice rules of fair competition.
 - a. The showing of unethically fitted livestock or livestock of any ineligible age for exhibition in the class entered is prohibited. Unethical fitting will be deemed to consist of any method altering the natural conformation of any part of the animal's body and painted / dyed to conceal the additional material. No change of the major color pattern of the animal will be allowed. Use of adhesives, aerosol cans, powder or filler material on any animal will not be allowed (aerosol oils may be used in cattle, no adhesives) NO dressing other than water may be used on swine. The final decision will rest with the Division Superintendent and executive committee.
 - b. Any animal showing signs of having been operated upon or tampered with, in the opinion of the Judge, Superintendent, Show Superintendent, for the purpose of concealing faults in conformation or with intent to deceive relative to the animal's soundness will be disqualified.
 - c. Altering of any type of Legal documents, such as Registration papers, Coggins test certificates, and Health papers
18. Glitter, ribbons, and other ornaments on animals will not be permitted during the show or sale.
19. The Cooke County Junior Livestock Show Board reserves to its executive committee (must be 7 members present) the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and to arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, and differences regarding, or otherwise arising out of, or connected with, or incident to, the show and the right to amend or add to these rules as the judgment may determine.
20. All Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion market animals must sell in the premium sale unless one exhibitor owns more than one champion/reserve champion. Then, the exhibitor may select which entry will sell. If an exhibitor has more than one sale eligible entry in the same species, they must sell the highest placing entry.
21. Each participant may only sell one eligible item/animal in the sale.
22. A late arrival fee of \$100 per animal may be submitted by an Ag teacher or extension agent before the species' scheduled weigh in ends.
23. No pets, except service animals, are allowed on the show grounds.
24. 4-H entries are limited to: (1) members of chartered Cooke County 4-H clubs with a completed and approved membership enrollment for the current 4-H year.
25. When the actual entries in a division or category become less than 5, the category or division will be awarded rosettes and may be eliminated at the discretion of the executive committee.
26. Any check written to an exhibitor from the Cooke County Junior Livestock Show will be void after 90 days of issue. A \$50 reissuing fee will apply.



BEEF CATTLE DIVISION

Entry Deadline:

December 1, 2022

Validation Deadline:

October 25, 2022

Steers, Registered Breeding Heifers, Commercial Heifers

Superintendent:

Tony Clark

Arrival: January 4, 2023, 6:00am

Steer Weigh in/ Classification: January 4, 2023, 8:00am

Heifer Registration Check in: January 4, 2023, 8:00am

Judging: January 4, 2023, 10:00am (Dairy Cattle, Steers, Beef Heifers)

RULES

MARKET STEERS

1. Steers will be shown by weight and classification. They will be classified by a classification committee member at the time of weigh in. Recognized breeds are as follows:
 - a. American
 - b. English
 - c. Exotic
2. Steers showing brands of other shows are ineligible.
3. All steers must be dehorned and will be shown blow and go. No adhesives, glues, paint, or fillers will be allowed.
4. Steers must weigh at least 800 pounds. No maximum weight limit.

REGISTERED BREEDING BEEF HEIFERS

1. The following breeds will be recognized in the Breeding beef heifer show. All others will be entered in AOB (All Other Breeds) or ABC (American Breeds and Crosses):

Beefmaster	Angus	Charolais
Brahman	Hereford	Chianina
Brangus	Polled Hereford	Limousin
Santa Gertrudis	Red Angus	Maine-Anjou
Simbrah	Shorthorn	Simmental
2. Classes will be 6-12 months, 12-18 months, 18-24 months, 24 months and over
3. All heifers will be shown blow and go. No adhesives, glues, paint, or fillers will be allowed.
4. Registration number of heifer will be included on entry forms. Ownership date should reflect a date on or before validation date. Entries not registered to the exhibitor are ineligible to show.

COMMERCIAL BREEDING HEIFERS

1. Heifers not state validated with registration papers will show in this division.
2. Must be county-only validated (see validation deadline date on page 5)
3. Classes will be 6-12 months, 12-18 months, 18-24 months, 24 months and over
4. All heifers will be shown blow and go. No adhesives, glues, paint, or fillers will be allowed.
5. Validation tag number of heifer will be included on entry forms.



DAIRY CATTLE DIVISION

Entry Deadline:

December 1, 2022

Superintendent:

Wayne Becker

Arrival: January 4, 2023, 6:00am

Check in: January 4, 2023, 8:00am

Judging: January 4, 2023, 10:00am (Dairy Cattle, Steers, Beef Heifers)

RULES

1. Must have at least three (3) animals to constitute a breed. Otherwise, animals will go into an AOB class.
2. Age divisions will be split by the division superintendent.

GOAT DIVISION

Entry Deadline:

December 1, 2022

Validation Deadline:

October 31, 2022

Superintendent:

Justin Little

Arrival: January 5, 2023, 6:00am

Weigh in/ Classification: January 5, 2023, 8:00am

Judging: January 5, 2023, 10:00am (following the lamb show)

RULES

DAIRY AND BREEDING MEAT GOATS

1. Must have at least three (3) animals to constitute a class.
2. Classes are:
 - a. Junior Does (not in milk) 0-6 months
 - b. Junior Does (not in milk) 7-12 months
 - c. Junior Does (not in milk) 13-18 months
 - d. Junior Does (not in milk) 19-24 months
 - e. Senior Does under 3 years (including younger animals that have freshened);
 - f. Senior Does 3 years and over

MEAT GOATS

1. Wethers or does may be shown.
2. Purebred or crossbred goats may be shown.



3. Animals must have horns tipped blunt, no smaller than a dime, or disbudded prior to arrival.
4. All meat goats will be weighed and divided into at least three (3) weight classes as equally as possible.
5. Minimum weight is 50 pounds.
6. Goats will be shown with neck chains or halters and trained to lead.

SHEEP DIVISION

Entry Deadline:

December 1, 2022

Validation Deadline:

October 31, 2022

Superintendent:

Justin Little

Arrival: January 5, 2023, 6:00am

Weigh in/ Classification: January 5, 2023, 8:00am

Judging: January 5, 2023, 10:00am (Breeding then Market)

RULES

BREEDING SHEEP

1. Must have at least three (3) animals to constitute a breed.
2. Classes are: Ewe lambs, Yearling ewes, Mature ewes

MARKET LAMBS

1. Lambs will be weighed and divided into equal as possible weight classes by breeds. Lambs will be classified by a classification committee member at the time of weigh in and placed into one of the following breeds:
 - a. Finewool
 - b. Finewool Cross
 - c. Southdown
 - d. Haired Sheep
 - e. Medium Wool/ Cross
2. Wether and ewe lambs can be shown.
3. Lambs cannot weigh less than 80 pounds. No minimum weight limit.
4. All lambs must be shown slick shorn to a uniform body length over the entire body. Top knots and boots below hock and knees may be left on lambs.



SWINE DIVISION

Entry Deadline:

December 1, 2022

Validation Deadline:

November 30, 2022

Superintendent:

Mike Howe

Arrival: January 5, 2023, 4:00pm

Weigh in/ Classification: January 5, 2023, 6:00-8:00pm

Judging: January 6, 2023, 9:00am (Breeding then Market)

RULES

BREEDING SWINE

1. Classes are: July, August, September
2. All breeding swine entries must be ear notched.
3. Must have three (3) to have a separate breed, otherwise animals will be combined.

MARKET SWINE

1. Swine will be weighed and divided into equal as possible weight classes.
2. Minimum weight is 150 pounds. Maximum weight is 280 pounds.
3. Large classes may be broken into two equal weight classes when necessary.
4. Breeds will show in the following order:

Dark OPB

Berkshire

Duroc

Hampshire

Yorkshire

Cross

White OPB

5. Barrows or gilts may be shown in the market show.
6. All market swine entries must be ear notched.
7. A classifying committee member will use Houston Livestock Show guidelines to classify market swine.



POULTRY DIVISION

Entry Deadline:
December 1, 2022

Superintendent: Yvonne Sandmann

Arrival: January 4, 2023, 10:00am
Judging: January 4, 2023, conclusion of cattle show

RULES

BREEDING POULTRY

1. Breeding poultry will be shown as standard or bantam.
2. Males and females are eligible to be shown.
3. Breeds will be recognized according to the APA Standards of Perfection book.
4. All APA Standards of Perfection rules will be followed.
5. All flocks must be inspected prior to show.

BROILERS

1. All entries must come from one (1) county order. Each exhibitor must purchase a minimum of 25 birds. See order deadline information on page 5.
2. Pen will consist of (3) broilers.

RABBIT DIVISION

Entry Deadline:
December 1, 2022

Validation:
Monday, December 12, 2022; 6:00pm Cooke County Fairgrounds

Superintendent:
Elizabeth Huchton

Arrival: January 5, 2023, 7:30am
Judging: January 5, 2023, 8:00am (market then breeding)

RULES

BREEDING RABBITS

1. Rules and breeds of ARBA Standards of Perfection will be followed.

MEAT RABBITS

1. Pens will consist of three (3) rabbits, all of the same breed and variety.
2. Minimum weight of 3.5 lbs each. Maximum weight of 5.5 lbs each.
3. Must be ten (10) weeks or younger in age at show time.
4. Must be owned by exhibitor 30 days prior to show. Market rabbits will be validated, and a tattoo will be documented. Exhibitors may validate an unlimited number but may only exhibit three (3) pens.



SHOP DIVISION

Entry Deadline:

December 1, 2022

Superintendent:

Corbin Evans

Arrival: January 5, 2023, before 10:00pm (large projects)

January 6, 2023, before 10:00am (small projects)

Judging: January 6, 2023, 1:00pm

RULES

1. Divisions:
 - Metal
 - Wood
 - Leather Work
2. Categories:
 - Small, Medium & Large in each Division
3. The division superintendent and/or the judge reserve the right to reclassify projects upon arrival.
4. The shop show will follow rules as published by the San Angelo Livestock Show.
5. Students entering projects must be present at the time of judging and should submit a project documentation notebook.
6. Entries will be awarded ribbons according to the placing of the judge.
7. The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion of each division, as well as the class winner of each category will be eligible to sell in the premium sale.
8. Exhibitors are limited to five (5) entries in this division.
9. FFA Chapters or 4-H Clubs may make group entries where several students are involved. Any premium money earned will go to the respective FFA chapter or 4-H club.
10. Projects must be picked up by 8:00pm on Friday, January 6, 2023, unless qualified for the premium sale.



EQUINE DIVISION

Entry Deadline:

December 1, 2022

Superintendent:

Christyna Knott

Arrival: January 2, 2023, 7:00am

Judging: January 2, 2023, 8:00am

RULES

1. Classes require a \$12.00 entry fee per class as listed.
2. Junior exhibitors are 13 and under. Senior exhibitors are 14 and over (on the day of the show).

1- Mares (Halter)	9- Jr. Ranch Horsemanship	17- Jr. Ranch Trail	25- Jr. Barrels
2- Geldings (Halter)	10- Sr. Ranch Horsemanship	18- Sr. Ranch Trail	26- Sr. Barrels
3- Jr. Showmanship	11- Jr. Western Pleasure	19- Jr. Hunter Showmanship	27- Jr. Poles
4- Sr. Showmanship	12- Sr. Western Pleasure	20- Sr. Hunter Showmanship	28- Sr. Poles
5- Jr. Ranch Showmanship	13- Jr. Ranch Pleasure	21- Jr. Hunter Under Saddle	29- Jr. Stakes
6- Sr. Ranch Showmanship	14- Sr. Ranch Pleasure	22- Sr. Hunter Under Saddle	30- Sr. Stakes
7- Jr. Horsemanship	15- Jr. Trail	23- Jr. Hunt Seat Equitation	
8- Sr. Horsemanship	16- Sr. Trail	24- Sr. Hunt Seat Equitation	

3. A horse may enter only one time per class. Exhibitors may add a class on the day of the show (\$35 late fee will apply), but not a new horse entry.
4. Exhibitors may enter more than 1 horse in the speed division. No other divisions.
5. The horse must be owned solely by the exhibitor, his/her parents (biological or stepparents), brother, sister, grandparents, or legal guardians by the entry deadline. Proof of ownership will be checked on the day of the show.
6. FFA entries or 4-H entries that have been acquired since 5/1/18 may provide copies of registration papers or grade horse description papers. These must be submitted along with the youth fair entry form.
7. Pursuant to state 4-H rules, appropriate attire must be worn. The horse show will abide by state 4-H rules as governing rules.
8. Current Coggins papers will be checked upon arrival.
9. Patterns will be posted the day of the show. If a student provides a valid email, they may be given the patterns the week before the show. Showmanship class will be used in the event of a tie. Barrels will be the tiebreaker for speed events.
10. Exhibitors cannot cross enter from Western into Ranch classes but may cross enter a Western or Ranch horse into English classes.
11. Points for all around will be given based on class size: example- 5 horses in classes = 1st (5), 2nd (4), 3rd (3), 4th (2), 5th (1), etc...High point overall in Senior and Junior divisions will be calculated as one horse/one rider. Exhibitor must show in one showmanship class and at least 3 performance classes. Points will be calculated across the following divisions: Western, English, Speed or Ranch, English, Speed



FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE SHOW

Entry Deadline:

December 1, 2022

Superintendent:

Joni Sturm

Arrival: January 4, 2023, 12:00 noon- 5:00pm

Judging: January 5, 2023, 9:00am

Viewing: January 5, 2023, 4-6pm; January 6, 2023, 9-noon

Entry Pick up: January 6, 2023, 12:00 noon- 1:00pm

*****FCS SHOW WILL BE HELD AT*****

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH LIFE CENTER

401 N. Dixon St., Gainesville, TX 76240

The Family and Consumer Science Show of the Cooke County Junior Livestock Show is open to youth enrolled in FCS classes for the school year in a Cooke County school or is an active 4-H club or FCCLA member enrolled for the club year.

General Rules

1. All entries should be made entirely by the student (since the 2022 CCJLS).
2. Any entry that is submitted in an incorrect class will be moved to the correct class at the decision of the Superintendent
3. An entry form, entry application, eligibility requirement form and entry fee for each item is required and should be turned in to the Family and consumer Science teacher or extension office by entry deadline.
4. Entries must be signed by the exhibitor's Family and Consumer Science teacher, 4-H club leader or County Extension Agent, parent and exhibitor.
5. Entry fees are \$6.00 per item.
6. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry in any class and no more than eight (8) entries total in the Family and Consumer Science show.
7. All participants will receive blue, red, or white ribbons depending on quality of the project.
8. A Class Champion winner and a Class Reserve Champion winner will be selected.
9. The division Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion will be selected from the class champions. The Grand and Reserve Grand Division Champions will sell at the premium sale. If a student is both a Grand and/or a Reserve Grand Division winner, only one item may sell in the premium sale.
10. To be selected as a class champion, the project will have to have received a blue quality ribbon.
11. The FCS Superintendent reserves the right to divide classes into more manageable numbers.
12. All decisions of the judges will be final.
13. This event does not require school absence, but current state UIL/TAPPS "No Pass, No Play" rules will be enforced. Parents, teachers, or leaders may turn in entries.



14. The Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Foods Division will be sold at the premium sale. A fresh food projects must be made for the sale. The participant must be present at the sale. Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion Clothing division, Textile division, Photography, Art, and Creative Arts division items will be auctioned for premium money, but actual items will not sell. Only one entry can sell, and the participant must choose which they want to sell by Friday, January 6, 2023 at 6:00pm. (This is to allow the third-place winner of the division to be notified and prepare another food product if necessary.)

FOODS DIVISION

1. All entries will use Recipeformatter.com to type the recipe so that all food entries are uniform. Once the information is typed, click "View PDF" and print the recipe on a 8.5"x11" PLAIN WHITE sheet of paper. DO NOT include the participant's name on the front of the paper. The complete recipe must be submitted with the entry. Example: cake and frosting, pie crust and filling, cookies and glazes. A link to recipeformatter.com will be on the CCJLS website.
2. All entries, including frosting, will be made from scratch except for Creative Cakes class.
3. Entries that require refrigeration will not be accepted. This includes cool whip, whipped cream, cream pies, cheesecake, etc. Cream cheese icing is acceptable.
4. Entries may be garnished or decorated; however, any decorated cake will be moved to FOOD ART. All garnishes and decorations must be edible. No fresh or canned fruits.
5. Include 6 items for the following classes: All cookies, Bar Cookies, Cupcakes, Cake balls/ Cake pops, Quick Breads-Muffins, Biscuits/ Scones, Candy, Dehydrated Foods
6. All food items must be contained in a disposable bag/container with clear wrap or lids. The complete recipe will be included with the entry and placed under the plate so that it can be sealed by the baggie or taped to the underside of the entry. Cakes will be submitted using a disposable pan or plate. No cake stands, boxes, or cake carriers. Cover cakes and pies with disposable plastic wrap or disposable lids.
7. Classes exceeding 15 entries or more can be divided for quality judging.
8. The food division will be divided into 4 subcategories based on relevance. The Champion and Reserve Champion of each subcategory will be eligible to sell. Subcategories will be decided by the FCS committee and published prior to the show date.

CLASSES

1. **Chocolate Chip Cookies**- present 6 in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" in diameter
2. **Drop, Sliced, Shaped, Rolled Cookie**- present 6 in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" diameter
3. **Bar cookie**- present 6 in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" diameter
4. **Scratch Cake- single-layer** cake and frosting are from scratch. Cakes will be submitted using a disposable pan or plate. No cake stands, boxes, or cake carriers. Cover with disposable plastic wrap or disposable lids.
5. **Scratch cake- multi-layer** cake and frosting are from scratch. Cakes will be submitted using a disposable pan or plate. No cake stands, boxes, or cake carriers. Cover with disposable plastic wrap or disposable lids.
6. **Creative cake**- Cakes made with a mix with ingredients added other than listed on the box. Frosting is not required. Cakes will be submitted using a disposable pan or plate. No cake stands, boxes, or cake carriers. Cover with disposable plastic wrap or disposable lids.
7. **Cupcakes**- 6 standard size frosted cupcakes- presented in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" in diameter OR presented in a disposable container with clear lid



8. **Cake balls/ cake pops-** must be made from scratch cake recipe and frosting. No mixes or canned frosting. Items made with cookies such as Oreos will be entered in Candy class. Present 6 in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" diameter.
9. **Quick Breads- Loaf-** Standard loaf size, no mini loaves, presented in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" in diameter.
10. **Quick Breads- Muffins,** 6 standard size muffins. Presented in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" in diameter.
11. **Yeast Breads-** no bread machines or mixes allowed. Presented in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" in diameter.
12. **Biscuits/ Scones-** 6 biscuits/scones. Presented in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" in diameter.
13. **Traditional pastry pie-** Crust and filling must be made from scratch. Glass pan may be used with the understanding that the pan will not be returned unless pie is picked up by the participant. Pies that require refrigeration will not be allowed.
14. **Other Pie Pastry** (graham, cookie crumb, saltine cracker, and yeast) - Crust and filling must be made from scratch. Glass pan may be used with the understanding that the pan will not be returned unless pie is picked up by the participant. Pies that require refrigeration will not be allowed.
15. **Candy-** present 6 in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" in diameter
16. **Food preservation-** jellies, jams, pickles, relish, vegetables, fruits, or meats- 2 jars per entry. Food must have been preserved since 2022 CCJLS. Project must be in half pint or pint standard canning jars with properly sealed lids.
17. **Dehydrated food-** present 6 slices/pieces in a gallon baggie on a disposable plate not exceeding 9" in diameter
18. **Modified Recipe-** Original and modified recipes must be attached to the modified product. Nutritional values for both recipes must be included. Only the modified product will be prepared for judging. Entry will be presented in a disposable container with clear lid or gallon baggie on a disposable plate.

CLOTHING DIVISION

1. Each garment must be clean and pressed. All seams should be finished in some manner. Garments should be free of rips and tears, in excellent wearing condition, and completely finished.
2. Garment must have been made since 2022 CCJLS.
3. Garment must be on a hanger.
4. Garment will be judged on coordination of fabric to pattern construction technique (hand and machine work), appropriateness of buttons, trims, etc to the garment and difficulty of project. Look on CCJLS website for exhibitor score sheet for guidance.
5. Exhibitor may not enter two similar garments.
6. Garments are for people only, no doll garments attached to garment or accessories. (i.e. potholders, etc)

CLASSES

1. Skirt or skort
2. Shorts or pants- garment must have any of the following: a yolk, waistband, or a zipper
3. Pajama shorts/pants
4. Blouse or shirt
5. Dress- casual



6. Dress- Dressy
7. Dress- Formal
8. Specialty- costume/uniform
9. Apron
10. Recycle/ redesign- changing an existing garment to make it suitable for more wear. Must have machine and/or hand stitches. Story card must be provided.

TEXTILES DIVISION

1. Each entry must be completed since 2022 CCJLS.
2. Each entry should be clean and free from wrinkles. Seams should be finished on sewn items. Entry should be free of rips and tears, in excellent condition, and completely finished.
3. Exhibitors may not enter two similar items.
4. Entries will be judged on construction technique or stitching, appropriateness of accessories to entry, and difficulty of project.

CLASSES

1. Needlework- counted cross stitch, knitting, crochet, needlepoint embroidery, candle wicking, or afghan
2. Pillowcase
3. Quilting- Entry must have surface machine stitching. Minimum size is 35"x 40". Must have top layer, batting, backing and bound edges
4. Hand Quilt- Entry must have surface machine stitching. Minimum size is 35"x 40". Must have top layer, batting, backing and bound edges
5. Pillow
6. Stuffed Animal or Doll
7. Misc. Textiles- Example: baby bib, pin cushion, purse/tote, dog clothes, clothing accessories, table linen

CREATIVE ARTS DIVISION

1. Entry must have been completed since the 2022 CCJLS.
2. Exhibitor may not enter two similar projects in two different classes.
3. Story cards must be provided for classes 4, 5, 8, 9, and 13. Pictures may not contain names or faces.

CLASSES

1. Fleece- hand-tied items, blankets, pillows
2. Housing accessories- picture frame, wastebasket, rug, wall hanging
3. Wreath and Flower Arrangements
4. 3-D Project Display- Diorama, school history project, interior design- non food items. Story card must be provided.
5. Food Art- All visible decorations and embellishments will be of food grade. Story card must be provided.
6. Scrapbook
7. Jewelry
8. Trash to treasure- story card must be provided
9. Decorated clothing and accessories- must use purchased clothing and add embellishments. Story card must be provided



10. Holiday decorations
11. Interior design collage
12. Fashion story board
13. Woodcraft- small kiys, wood burning, no project larger than 18" x 18" x 18" will be accepted. Story card must be provided.

PHOTOGRAPHY

1. Entry must have been completed since the 2022 CCJLS.
2. Photographs must be 8"x10"
3. Photographs must be flush mounted on foam board not to exceed ¼" (no borders around pictures)
4. Refer to CCJLS website for examples, class descriptions, and judging criteria.
5. The theme for the 2023 CCJLS is ***My Home Town.***

CLASSES

1. **Animals- Domestic:** photos focusing on the various animals that have been tamed and made fit for a human environment. To be considered domesticated ,the animal must have their behavior, life cycle, or physiology systemically altered as a result of being under human control for many generations.
2. **Animals- Wildlife:** focuses on animals not tamed or domesticated and commonly found in the wilderness or the bodies of water throughout the country and world. Photos can be of wildlife in nature, zoos, and/or petting zoos.
3. **Details and Macro-** pictures of small details that suggest a larger story; Ex: clocks, coins, ice crystals, insects, stamps, etc
4. **Dominant color:** photos with a dominant color; the dominant element must be a specific color, such as red, yellow, blue, white, etc NOT ALLOWED: Black and white photos, duotones
5. **Elements of design:** images use of graphic elements of design; photos that showcase line, shape pattern, form, texture, perspective, etc; photo can consist of any subject matter NOT ALLOWED: Digital creations or graphic designs made in software such as Photoshop, InDesign, or Illustrator
6. **Enhanced:** a single photo that has been technically manipulated to be an abstract, panoramic, stitched or composite image; other variations are allowed as well
7. **Food:** category is a still life specialization of photography, aimed at producing attractive photographs of food for use in such items as advertisements, packaging, menus and/or cookbooks NOT ALLOWED: photos of alcoholic beverages
8. **Landscape and nature (Non-animal):** The focus of this category includes landscapes, outdoor scenics, nature images, sunsets, urban landscapes, seascapes, cityscapes, and farms. Images should focus on the beauty of the outdoors; NOT ALLOWED: primary subject is a person or wildlife
9. **Motion/Action:** the capture of movement within a single photo
10. **Night:** photos that capture objects in or against the night sky; photos can include objects such as buildings, landscape features, people, light trails, etc seen at night; Objects seen in the night sky such as stars and planets are also acceptable; the use of a telescope is permitted; NOT ALLOWED: Sunset and sunrise photos
11. **People:** Photos focus from all walks of life, parenting and family, children and babies, models/fashion, sports, couples; all individuals in the photos must have provided consent



12. **Plant/flora:** Photos of interesting, unique, and beautiful flowers and flora. Photography can occur outdoors or indoors. Photo subject should be that of a single flower, plant, bush, tree, etc. Large collections of plant/floral should be considered Landscape and Nature category.
13. **Shadow/Silhouette:** The silhouette or shadow must be the primary subject and focus of the image; NOT ALLOWED: Reflections
14. **Theme – My Home Town:** Must contain a focal point that is described by the theme.
15. **Catch-All:** Photos that do not fit into one of the other categories; NOT ALLOWED: County's use of the category to eliminate duplicate photos.

ART DIVISION

1. Artwork must have been created since the 2022 CCJLS.
2. Artwork must be mounted, framed, or matted in concept and design and solely the work of the student. Seal your work to prevent smudging.
3. No signature or names on artwork.
4. No artwork shall exceed 18" x 24".

CLASSES

1. Drawing- Black and white media. Applied to a single color background size not to exceed 18"x24". Charcoal, black ballpoint pen, calligraphy pens, sharpie, black and white pastel, conté, black and white scratchboard, graphite. Category excludes portraiture.
2. Drawing- Color media. Applied to a single color background size not to exceed 18"x24". Markers, colored pencils, color ballpoint pen, crayon, multicolored scratchboard, pastels, conté. Category excludes portraiture.
3. Portraiture- portraits in any medium. These can be self portraits or portraits in general.
4. Opaque painting- oil, acrylic, gouache and any other liquid substance on a flat surface. No larger than 18" x 24"
5. Transparent painting- watercolor, in wash and any other liquid substance on a flat surface. No larger than 18"x24".
6. Mix Media- 2D and Relief- Artwork which extends above or below the surface and is flat on the back for the purpose of standing or hanging and can be viewed from one side only. Media can be wet or dry and includes collage, additive and subtractive work. Diptychs and Triptychs are allowed. Maximum size not to exceed 18"x24".
7. Mix Media- 3D- Manipulative of any 3D surface, including found objects which have been unaltered; added to, painted on or embellished in any way, including altered books. Diptychs and triptychs are allowed. Maximum size not to exceed 18"x24".



PREMIUM SALE

Saturday, January 7, 2023; 1:00pm

1. All sale lots will be sold for premium only (except foods division) and retained by the exhibitor. No animals or projects will exchange ownership and the buyer recognizes that they are bidding on the auction lot only.

2. Sale Order:

Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Steer, Swine, Lamb, Goat, Rabbit, Broilers, Metal Shop, Wood Shop, Leather Work, Food, Clothing, Textile, Creative Art, Photography, Art will all sell at the beginning of the sale; followed by:

1st Round	2nd Round	3rd Round	4th Round
25% of Steers	25% of Steers	25% of Steers	25% of Steers
25% of Swine	25% of Swine	25% of Swine	25% of Swine
25% of Lambs	25% of Lambs	25% of Lambs	25% of Lambs
25% of Goats	25% of Goats	25% of Goats	25% of Goats
25% of Rabbits	25% of Rabbits	25% of Rabbits	25% of Rabbits
25% of Broilers	25% of Broilers	25% of Broilers	25% of Broilers

3. A set percentage of 50% of animals weighed-in/checked-in for each species will sell. Hogs will sell using a predetermined percentage based on the number of animals in each breed. After breed champion and reserve, the order will be selected from heaviest class to lightest class. Sheep, goats, and steers will be selected using a sale order. After grand and reserve champion, all first in class animals will automatically be selected from heaviest class to lightest class. All other sale slots will be selected by the judge using a sale order system. Rabbits and broilers will be selected in the order they were placed. Each class winner in the shop show will make the sale.
4. Bids will not be re-opened on any animal.
5. Each market exhibitor must select only one project to go through the Premium Sale. All owners must be on hand on Saturday of the sale by noon. Animals must be sold in sale order by the exhibitor. Exhibitors must be present for the sale unless an exception has already been granted by the grievance committee.
6. A list will be maintained of animals eligible to sell and not selected. The animals not selected will be eligible to receive add-ons only. All exhibitors must notify the show office of one animal selected for the premium sale or add-on eligibility. Exhibitors with breeding only entries or equine entries will be eligible for add-ons.
7. All sale animals will return to the fairgrounds on the day of the sale to be present during auction, weather permitting.
8. Grand and Reserve Champion of all breeding divisions, as well as Jr and Sr Grand and Reserve High Point in the equine show, will be recognized at the premium auction and recognized in the sale catalog. These entries are eligible for add-ons only.



ADD-ON GUIDELINES

All Add-ons must be made within one week following the end of the Premium Sale. Add-ons should be made with the Treasurer of the Cooke County Junior Livestock Show Board of Directors

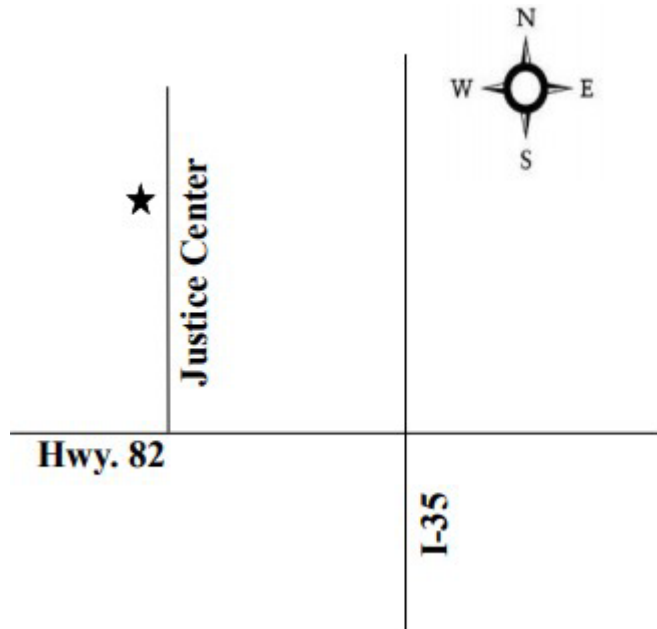
EXHIBITOR PHOTO

All exhibitors are encouraged to be present for the United Way photo which will be taken at 12:30pm on Saturday, January 7, 2023.

SHOW LOCATIONS

The Cooke County Fairgrounds will be home to the 2023 Cooke County Junior Livestock Show. All livestock and equine competitions along with shop division contests will be held at this location. The Premium Sale will also be held at the Fairgrounds. Please check our facebook page and website for information about loading and unloading instructions and locations.

Cooke County Fairgrounds
1901 Justice Center Blvd.
Gainesville, TX 76240



The FCS show (Photography, Creative Arts, Clothing, Textiles, Art and Food Divisions) will be held at the First Christian Church Life Center 401 N Dixon St, Gainesville, TX 76240

