



KEYSTONE INTERNATIONAL



LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION

October 1 - 9, 2011

Premium List

Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex & Expo Center

2300 N. Cameron St., Harrisburg, PA 17110-9443

Livestock entries must be postmarked by August 31, 2011

Horse entries must be postmarked by September 9, 2011

KEYSTONE INTERNATIONAL LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION
COLLEGIATE AND JUNIOR LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST

8:00 a.m. Saturday, October 8

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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1a. Collegiate - This contest is open to Agricultural Colleges in the United States and Canada offering a B.S. degree for the regular four-year course in Agriculture.
- b. Junior Contest- Open to State 4-H and FFA Judging Teams.
- 2a. For entry information, contact Lois Rankin (lsrankin@comcast.net), PLA Executive Secretary, 77 South Ridge Road, Spring Grove, PA 17362-8565 no later than September 30, 2011
- b. Entry Fee-\$100 per collegiate team; \$75 per junior team.
- 3a. Each Collegiate Team shall consist of five members although seven (7) contestants from each college or university may judge and give oral reasons. The five high scoring individuals from each institution will constitute the team score.
- b. Each Junior Team shall consist of three members although (4) contestants from each team may judge and give oral reasons. The three high scoring individuals from each team will constitute the team score.
- c. Team members not officially participating in the contest may judge and give oral reasons at the discretion of the Contest Chair. The decision will be made at the coach's dinner on the evening prior be based on the total number of teams entered. Entry fee will be \$10.00 for each participating alternate payable on the day of the contest. Unofficial participants will not be eligible for awards.
- d. Team members should report to the McClay Street Lobby of the Farm Show Complex and Expo Center before 7:45 a.m. on Saturday, October 8, 2011.
4. Eligibility:
 - a. Collegiate - Any agricultural college undergraduate student representing their institution who is in attendance as a regularly enrolled student in the institution, and who has taken no less than one year undergraduate work in that institution, who has never represented an institution in any intercollegiate livestock judging contest previous to the year in which the contest is held, who has never acted as an official judge of livestock at a fair or show, and who has at no time served in the capacity of teacher of livestock judging in an agricultural college or secondary school, may be entered as a member of a team to represent the college in which he or she is matriculated.
 - b. Junior - Each state is eligible to enter one 4-H Livestock Judging Team and/or one FFA Livestock Judging Team. The team members may be selected in a manner determined by the State Extension Service or the FFA Organization.

Contestants must be bona fide 4-H or FFA members and approved by their respective State Extension Service or FFA Organization. Contestants must have conducted a livestock project in beef cattle, sheep, or swine during the current year - approved by the organization that they represent. Each contestant must have passed his or her 14th and not passed his or her 19th birthday (FFA-21st) on January 1, of the current year. Contestants must not have participated in official post secondary (university, college, junior college, or technical school) competitive events of a similar nature and in the same subject matter area. (For example, a contestant who has competed in an official collegiate livestock judging contest is ineligible to compete).

Contestants must not have participated previously in the contest, however, junior contestants who competed once as a 4-H member are eligible to compete once as a FFA member and vice versa, provided all other eligibility requirements are met.

Contestants must not have participated in the National 4-H or FFA Livestock Judging Contests.

- c. Contestants who have served as members of official 7-member collegiate teams or 4-member Jr. teams are considered to have previously participated and are ineligible to compete a second time in that contest division. An individual may compete in the Jr. contest and as a collegiate contestant, but not during the same year.
5. Classes - Twelve classes consisting of four individuals each shall be judged. Five classes of beef cattle, three classes of sheep and four classes of swine. Cattle and sheep shall be identified by number 1, 2, 3 and 4. Performance data and scenarios will be provided on at least one class of beef cattle, sheep, and swine.
6. Time - Fifteen minutes and twelve minutes will be allowed for contestants to place reasons and non-reasons classes, respectively. A two minute warning will be given. Contestants will not be permitted to handle classes of breeding cattle. If sheep are handled, the 15 second rule will apply.
7. While the contest is in progress, there will be no conferring between contestants or between contestant and anyone else, except as directed by the Chairman or his representatives.
8. Card Placings - Contestants will turn in placing cards to their assigned group leader immediately at the conclusion of each class. Group leaders may not return cards to the contestants.
9. Oral Reasons-Collegiate contestants will give reasons on eight classes; three-beef cattle classes, two-sheep classes and three-swine classes. Junior contestants will give reasons on four classes; two-beef classes, one-sheep class, and one-swine class. The contestants shall be notified at the time of placing whether or not reasons will be required in the ring when being judged. Reasons shall be given orally before the judge or judges, and for this purpose private rooms will be provided. Two minutes will be permitted for each set of reasons.
10. Junior contestants will be asked two sets of questions based on two non-reasons classes. Each set will have a maximum of 10 questions and will be worth 50 points (5 points per question). Contestants should be encouraged to take notes on the questions classes, and they will be allowed time to study these notes on the questions classes prior to (but not while answering) the questions. Questions will be read to all contestants at the conclusion of the placing session and just prior to the reasons.
11. Final standings shall be based on placings, oral reasons and questions classes (Junior

contest only). Fifty points shall constitute a perfect score in placing the animals; 50 points shall constitute a perfect score for oral reasons. In classes where no reasons are required, the placing only will be considered.

12. Group Leaders-An individual will be placed in charge of each group to act as supervisor of that class, to observe the contestants, to see that the animals are properly shown, and to answer any questions not pertaining to the actual placing regarding the animals under consideration.
13. Official Judges- Official Judge(s) will be provided for each livestock specie.
14. Awards-Final results of the contest will be made available and awards will be presented at a breakfast on the morning following the contest. The time and place will be announced by the Chairman.
15. Photographs-Photographs will be taken of all winners and will be made available to teams and/or contestants at cost.
16. **No electronic devices (telephones, PDA's, etc.) may be in the possession of contestants at any time during the contest.**

AWARDS

The Exposition Executive Council and the Judging Contest Committee expresses sincere appreciation to all who have donated awards for presentation to the contestants.

COLLEGIATE AWARDS

Individual Awards

High Individual - Contest

Penn State Stockman's Club, c/o Jana Peters, 324 Henning Building, Penn State University, University Park, PA 16802, (814) 863-4198

High Individual – Beef

American Angus Association, 3201 Frederick Boulevard, St. Joseph, MO 64506

High Individual – Angus

Pennsylvania Angus Association, c/o Barbara Weaver, Secretary, 641 Spruce Rd., New Holland, PA 17557

High Individual – Swine

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High Individual – Sheep

Pennsylvania Sheep and Wool Growers Association, Jan Motter, Secretary, 12211 West 973 Highway, Jersey Shore, PA 17740

High Individual – Reasons

Fulton Bank, P.O. Box 1285, Lebanon, PA 17042

Team Awards

High Team - Contest

Rotating Trophy – Paul and Bette Slayton, Slayton's Beardance, 2272 Dibert Road, Bedford, PA 15522.

Team Award – Select Sire Power, Inc. (570) 836-3168

Coach, High Team – Contest

Pennsylvania Livestock Association, Harold Harpster, Secretary, 314 Henning Building, University Park, PA 16802

High Team – Beef

Rotating Trophy - American Hereford Association, PO Box 014059, Kansas City, MO 64101

High Team – Swine

Pennsylvania Pork Producers Council, Herbert Schick, Secretary-Treasurer, 1631 Grim Road, Kutztown, PA 19530

Subscription - Poland China Record Association, Jack Wall, CEO, Box 9758, Peoria, IL 61612 – Poland China Advantage

Subscription - The National Swine Registry, Mike Paul, Vice-President of Operations, 1769 U.S. 52 West, P.O. Box 2417, West Lafayette, IN 47996 - the SEEDSTOCK EDGE magazine

High Team - Sheep

American Hampshire Sheep Association, Karey Claghorn, Secretary, 15603 173rd Avenue, Milo, IA 50166.

High Team - Reasons

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JUNIOR (4-H AND FFA) AWARDS

Individual Awards

High Individual - Contest

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Second High Individual - Contest

The Tony Dobrosky award, provided by The Keystone International Livestock Exposition

High Individual – Beef

Purina Mills, Inc., Susan Coyle, Northeast Retail Sales, P.O. Box 248, Camp Hill, PA 17011

High Individual – Angus

Pennsylvania Angus Association, c/o Barbara Weaver, Secretary, 641 Spruce Rd., New Holland, PA 17557

High Individual – Swine

The Pennsylvania Yorkshire Cooperative Association, Inc.

High Individual – Sheep

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High Individual – Reasons

Allan Cornman, Legacy Financial, 1868 Moselem Springs Road, Hamburg, PA 19526

Team Awards

High Team - Contest

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Pennsylvania Livestock Association, Harold Harpster, Secretary, 314 Henning Building, University Park, PA 16802

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High Team - Sheep

Pennsylvania Sheep and Wool Grower’s Association, Karey Claghorm, Secretary, 1557 173rd Avenue, Milo, IA 50166

High Team - Reasons

MAP Farm, R.D. #1, Box 144, Womelsdorff, PA 19567

Thank you
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Collegiate & Junior Livestock Judging Contest
&
Keystone Stockmen’s Contest

**THE TONY DOBROSKY MEMORIAL
KEYSTONE STOCKMEN’S CONTEST**

Friday, October, 7

Co-Chairpersons- Penn State Extension Southeast Region Animal Science Team

SCHEDULE	8:15 a.m.-8:45 a.m.	Registration	Main Hall
	9:00 a.m.	Contest	Main Hall
	2:00 p.m.	Announcement of Interview Candidates	Main Hall
	2:15 p.m.	Interviews	Second Floor
	3:15 p.m.	Junior Stockman Awards	Main Hall

ELIGIBILITY-This is a junior livestock judging contest and is open to any bonafide 4-H or FFA member in the United States and Canada. Contestants must be entered and certified by their County Extension Agent or Voc. Ag. Instructor prior to the entry deadline. Each County 4-H or Vocational Agriculture Department is invited to enter one or more teams of three or four members. When four members are entered, the three members with the highest overall individual scores will make up the team total for awards. The fourth member will be the alternate. Team members and alternates will be eligible for individual awards. Any individual or team that has completed in a national stockmen’s contest may not participate in this contest.

CONTESTANTS-must have reached their 13th birthday and must not have reached their 19th birthday by January 1 of the current year.

ENTRIES-Must be mailed to Keystone International Livestock Exposition Attn: Stockmen’s Contest, 2300 N. Cameron St., Harrisburg, PA 17110-9443 and postmarked by September 9, 2011. En-