

Guidelines
Jackson County Jackpot Invitational Market Hog Show
Saturday, September 13th, 2014

to be held at the
Jackson County Agricultural Facility at Jackson County High School
1660 Winder Highway, Jefferson, GA 30549

1. Any exhibitor that has not completed 12th grade and is a member of their county 4-H club or school FFA chapter is eligible to show.
2. All market swine must be blood tested PRV and Brucellosis negative within 30 days of the show and have an official health certificate.
3. Entries will be accepted from the following counties: Rabun, Habersham, Franklin, Stephens, Jackson/Jefferson City/Commerce City, Madison, Oglethorpe, Washington-Wilkes, Banks, Barrow, and Oconee.
4. Barrows and gilts are eligible and will be shown together. Each exhibitor may enter 4 hogs in the show. Weight limits are 125 lbs. – 275 lbs. Because of barn and pen space, the show will be limited to the first 150 animals entered.
5. Each animal entered must have a clean, readable ear tag in place. No pigs will be accepted without an ear tag. The tag must be in the hog before check in. All entries must include an ear tag number for all hogs on the entry form.
6. All entries must be postmarked by August 30, 2014. The entry fee is \$25.00 per hog. **A late fee of \$30.00 per head will be required for entries postmarked after this date.** No entries accepted after September 6th. The late fee will be strictly enforced. All entries should be mailed to:

Kate Wooten
East Jackson Middle FFA
1880 Hoods Mill Road
Commerce, Georgia 30529
7. Prize money will be paid through 50% of the class. (Example, 10 head in class, top 5 get payout- 1st - \$40.00, 2nd - \$35.00, 3rd - \$30.00, 4th - \$25.00, 5th - \$20.00, funds permitting.)
8. Funds permitting, Grand Champion will pay \$250, Reserve \$150.
9. There will be no reweighs after the pigs leave the scale area.
10. The pigs will be divided into classes according to weight, as numbers permit with a target of no more than 10 entries per class if weight breaks permit. Class breaks will be determined by the show committee in regard to numbers and weight ranges. All class winners will compete for Grand Champion and the pig standing second in class to the Grand Champion will be brought into the ring to compete for Reserve Champion of the show.
11. The weigh-in will begin at 4:00PM. Friday, September 12th and will be closed at 7:00 p.m. Friday evening. The barn will close at 10:00 pm Friday and re-open by 6:00 a.m. on Saturday.

12. The showmanship will begin at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, September 13th. Class break-downs will depend on number of entries. The showmanship will start with the older exhibitors and continue by age until the final showmanship class. Prize money for showmanship will be strictly a jackpot prize of money collected per showmanship class. The money will be received by the first three places in each age group, 100% payback. The showmanship fee is \$5.00. The weight classes will begin following showmanship.

13. Penning will be a minimum of two to a pen. Single entries may want to find a penning partner and make note on the entry form (Bring a divider if necessary).

14. The Jackson County 4-H/FFA Show Committee, Jackson County FFA, East Jackson FFA, Jackson County 4-H, Jackson County Board of Education or any associated agency nor any of its affiliates accepts no responsibility nor assumes any risk for injury to the exhibitor or animal due to or resulting from participation in the Jackson County Swine Jackpot Invitational.

15. Any questions, feel free to contact Kate Wooten at 706-335-2083(work) or 229-881-1657(cell) or Sam Ingram at 706-367-6344(work) or 706-614-1056(cell).

16. If entry numbers do not justify holding the show, entry and fees will be returned to exhibitors, so please make sure that mailing address is correct.

**Jackson County Swine Jackpot Invitational
(One Form Per Exhibitor)
Entries Must be POSTMARKED by August 30th, 2014**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

County or Chapter: _____ FFA or 4-H: _____

Phone #: _____ Exhibitor's Grade: _____ Exhibitor's Age: _____

Tag Number	Sex Gilt or Barrow	Description of Animal (Color, Markings, etc.)

Number of Pigs entered _____ x \$25.00 = _____

Showmanship Entry (\$5.00 per exhibitor): _____

Pick one:

_____ Will show off of my trailer

_____ Will need pen(s)

Penning Fee (\$3.00 per hog) = _____

If partnered for pen, name of other exhibitor: _____

Total Payment = _____

**Deadline - Entries must be POSTMARKED by August 30th, 2013
\$30.00 for Late Entries by September 6th**

*Make Checks payable to **East Jackson Middle FFA***

Mail to:

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