



General Livestock Rules

Hosted by the Greenwood County 4-H

Livestock Shows Open to SC 4-H,
FFA and Junior Breed Association Youth

Concessions Available

Rabbit Show – Monday, September 4, 2023, 9:30am

Beef Show – Monday, September 4, 2023, 10:00 am

Dairy Heifer Show – Monday, September 4, 2023, 10:00 am

Meat Goat Show – Monday, September 4, 2023, 3:00 pm

(or 30 min after Beef & Dairy Heifer Shows)

1. Purebred cattle must be registered with their National Breed Association. Registration papers must be in the name of the exhibitor. Beef cattle not registered will be entered in the crossbred classes.
2. Exhibitors must have owned his/her animals at least 45 days prior to the date of the show.
3. Exhibitors must provide feed and water pails for their animals' exhibits and keep their animals and area clean and presentable at all times.
4. Animals will be released after the completion of each show.
5. Livestock Superintendents will rule on all matters not covered by these or other show rules.
6. Livestock Show entry fee of \$5.00 per class is due with Entry Form. **Make checks payable to Greenwood County Livestock.**
7. **Entry Forms postmark deadline is August 28, 2022. There is a \$10.00 per exhibitor late fee.** Mail entries to: Lucy Wetzel Charping, Greenwood County Cooperative Extension, P O Box 246, Greenwood, SC 29648. 864-223-3264 or 864-993-5317, lucyw@clemson.edu
8. Exhibitors must show their OWN animal in the SHOWMANSHIP class.
9. Any exhibitor using abusive or excessive force with their animal as determined by the Livestock Superintendents will be asked to leave the premises and forfeit any premium money.
10. A breed must have, at a minimum, seven (7) animals for a breed show and to compete for Grand or Reserve Champion, excluding the Dairy Heifer Show. If you secure/obtain sponsorship for your breed (\$250) then any breed can have a separate show with any number of animals.
11. Each exhibitor must assume all risks in showing his/her animals. The sponsoring groups assume NO responsibility in case of fire or accident, but every reasonable precaution to prevent damage by fire or accident will be taken.
12. Excluding Adult and Toddler Showmanship classes, exhibitors must be between the ages of 5 and 19, as of **January 1, 2023.**
13. **Proper show attire is expected.** Collared, tucked-in shirt (with no logos), long pants and closed in shoes
14. Alcohol is prohibited.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS: All livestock should be free of any signs of infectious or contagious diseases. It is strongly encouraged that all cattle should be vaccinated for respiratory disease (shipping fever), specifically IBR, PI3, BRSV and Pasteurella, not sooner than 6 months and not less than 2 weeks prior to the show.

