

# **RULES COVER PAGE**

## **2010 PASADENA LIVESTOCK SHOW**

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Exhibitor's Name (please print)

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Exhibitor's School

Dear Parent / Legal Guardian:

Attached is a copy of the Pasadena Livestock Show & Rodeo Association, 2010 Pasadena Livestock Show Rules. Please sign below, signifying that you have received and read the 2010 Pasadena Livestock Show Rules and return to your Agriculture Science Teacher.

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Parent / Legal Guardian Signature

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Exhibitor's Signature

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Date

**2010**

**PASADENA LIVESTOCK SHOW**

**PRESENTED BY:**

**PASADENA LIVESTOCK SHOW & RODEO ASSOCIATION**

**2010**

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## GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

The Pasadena Livestock Show is sponsored by the Pasadena Livestock Show & Rodeo Association. All references to the Officers and/or Board of Directors shall refer to the sponsoring organization.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS:

#### RULE 1: ELIGIBILITY – AT TIME OF SHOW

- a. Students regularly enrolled in Agriculture Science in the Pasadena Independent School District and Deer Park Independent School District or those that have completed all Agriculture Science offered, or at the Agriculture Science Instructor's and Livestock Chariman's / E-Board Officer in Charge discretion, due to a schedule conflict. All Exhibitors must be paid FFA members.
- b. Residents of Boys & Girls Harbor who are high school age.
- c. Exhibitors must be academically eligible to participate in the Pasadena Livestock Show and Calf Scramble and may not have an exhibit shown for them by another exhibitor if ineligible.
- d. If a hardship problem occurs with an exhibitor or exhibit, the Agriculture Science Teacher will contact the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge or designee, who shall settle the problem at their discretion.
- e. Agriculture Science Teachers are responsible for providing Livestock Show Secretary a list of ineligible exhibitors by 6 p.m. on Wednesday, September 29, 2010.

#### RULE 2: ENTRY FEES

Entry fees are as follows:

Steers	\$35.00/each
Hogs	\$30.00/each
Lambs	\$30.00/each
Goats	\$30.00/each
Poultry	\$15.00/pen
Rabbits	\$15.00/pen

An equal amount will be charged for all additional exhibits validated.

### **RULE 3: PROTEST PROVISION**

- a. All protests must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$250.00, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and must be delivered to the Committee Chairman of the Livestock Committee no more than 12 hours after class judging.
- b. Protests must be filed by Agriculture Science Teacher, or parent/guardian of the exhibitor requesting protest.
- c. Protest will be settled by a Livestock Advisory Committee consisting of:
  1. E-Board Officer in Charge
  2. Livestock Superintendent
  3. Livestock DVM
  4. President of the Rodeo Association

### **RULE 4: MEDICATION RULE**

- a. The Pasadena Livestock Show and Rodeo reserves the right to perform laboratory analysis on the blood, urine, hair and/or body tissue of any animal entered for competition. An exhibitor of an animal producing an analysis with **an unapproved** drug residue as prohibited in this rule, will forfeit all current premium monies and may forfeit future rights and privileges to exhibit at the Pasadena Livestock Show and Rodeo. The conclusions reached by the Livestock Advisory Committee, as to whether such animal has been administered an un-approved drug shall be final, without recourse against the Show or any of its officers, directors or employees.
- b. Animals under the care of a licensed veterinarian and/or taking any type of performance enhancing or other unapproved medications to include, but not limited to steroids such as dexamethasone, diuretics, anti-inflammatories, tranquilizers, local and systemic anesthetics, caffeine, alcohol, and any other drug not medically indicated are ineligible for competition. Exhibitors with questions regarding medications and or eligibility should consult with the Official Show Veterinarian prior to competition. Unapproved means not approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) or the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) for slaughter animals including animals that may be destined for human consumption. The use of a FDA approved drug in an unapproved species will constitute unapproved drug use.
- c. If an animal has been administered a drug that is FDA approved for their particular species, sufficient time must have passed so that the animal does not test positive for that drug at check-in. In most instances, the time interval for the animal's urine or other tissues to be negative for the drug is longer than the withdrawal time listed on the label. This means that the animal's urine or other tissues must be free of all drug residues at the time of check-in and at any time subsequent that the Show management wishes to collect samples.

#### **RULE 4: MEDICATION RULE (continued)**

- d. Failure to cooperate on the part of the exhibitor is reason to exclude the exhibit from sale.
- e. The Stock Show Veterinarian will not treat any of the exhibit animals on the Show ground. If any exhibitor feels his/her animal needs veterinary care, they must contact their Agricultural Science Teacher and/or they have the right to withdraw their animal from the Show and seek veterinary care. Once any animal leaves the premises, it may not return. Only emergency veterinary care will be allowed on the premises which will result in disqualification from the Show.
- f. All Grand and Reserve Champion steers, hogs, goats, and lambs will be tested, and there may be random testing of lower placed exhibits.
- g. Any exhibit tested and found with the presence of residue will be reviewed by the Livestock Advisory Committee.

#### **RULE 5: RELEASE OF EXHIBITS**

- a. No exhibits are to leave the Show barn until cleared with Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge and/or Livestock Committee Chairman.
- b. No substitution of Show animals will take place on Show property with exception of deceased animals sold in Auction or After Show Sale.
- c. Checkout is at 9:00 A.M. on Sunday morning, October 10, 2010. Any hardship that requires early checkout must be approved by Agriculture Science Teacher, Livestock Committee Chairman, General Chairman and/or Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge.

#### **RULE 6:**

No exhibit that has been through any other show's auction will be eligible for the Pasadena Livestock Show.

#### **RULE 7:**

Any animal or poultry showing symptoms of disease of any kind will not be allowed admittance to the Show.

#### **RULE 8:**

Exhibitors should see that their exhibit is removed and delivered to the buyer within 14 days of the close of the Show (with the exceptions of exhibits covered by health regulations). Exhibitor is responsible for exhibit until buyer's delivery instructions are carried out.

**RULE 9:**

Exhibitors will be present at 9:00 A.M., Sunday, October 10, 2010, to take down, clean and store pens and load livestock at the close of Show. Agriculture Science Teachers will be responsible for removal of any exhibits whose exhibitor is not present. Only show barn exhibits can be loaded on slaughter house trailers.

**RULE 10:**

Use of shocking devices on exhibits will not be allowed on the Pasadena Livestock Show grounds except by Livestock Committee for loading purposes.

**RULE 11:**

Exhibitors will furnish feed, feeders, and water containers, and will be responsible for the feeding and care of their exhibits.

**RULE 12:**

No ribbons or auction monies will be awarded unless ALL rules are followed.

**RULE 13:**

Quality of all exhibits will be determined by the Livestock Committee. All sifted exhibits will be removed from the Livestock Barn.

**RULE 14:**

All exhibits must be fed and watered between 5:30 A.M. and 10:00 P.M. each day.

**RULE 15:**

All exhibits must be purchased and raised by the exhibitor. All exhibits must be raised at a facility located within the boundaries of the Pasadena Independent School District, the Deer Park Independent School District or the LaPorte Independent School District. Random inspections by members of the Livestock Committee will be made during the raising period. Denial of access to an exhibit shall warrant disqualification.

The exhibitor must feed, care for, and show their exhibit entered without any aid or assistance, other than verbal advice, during the entire feeding period, except from immediate family, legal guardian, Agriculture Science Teacher, fellow FFA students and their parents or legal guardians, or anyone with written approval from the Agriculture Science Teacher. No aid, assistance or verbal advice may be given or accepted in exchange for valuable consideration, whether fixed or contingent.

### **RULE 15: (continued)**

All exhibitors must notify the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge or his General Chairman, in writing, prior to their exhibit leaving their facility for more than 12 hours. Exhibits shall not be away from their facility more than 12 hours, except for being under Veterinarian care or participating in another show. Written notification may be dropped off or faxed to the Pasadena Livestock Show & Rodeo offices at 7601 Red Bluff Road, Pasadena, Texas 77507 (Fax No. 281-487-7067; Phone No. 281-487-0240) and must include the following info:

- a. Destination
- b. Reason
- c. Return Date

### **RULE 16:**

No exhibits will be allowed outside Show barn after check-in without permission from the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge or Livestock Committee.

### **RULE 17: EAR TAGS AND I.D. DEVICES**

- a. Anyone found guilty by the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge and/or Livestock General Chairman of removing, tampering or replacing any I.D. device placed on or in any exhibit entered in the Pasadena Livestock Show will be disqualified from the Livestock Show.
- b. The Livestock Committee will make every effort to place I.D. devices properly, but in the event of any injury during tagging, the Pasadena Livestock Show will not be held responsible.
- c. All exhibits will also be subject to any I.D. device deemed necessary by the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge and/or Livestock Committee.
- d. All ear tags must remain affixed to the exhibit until after processing has been completed.
- e. All swine must be ear notched before validation.

### **RULE 18: PENALTIES**

- a. If any exhibit sold has been found to be exchanged, misrepresented or altered in any way, the monies will be returned to the buyer.
- b. If disqualification occurs before auction, lower exhibits move up. If disqualification occurs after auction, places stay the same. All monies from the disqualified exhibit shall be forfeited.

**RULE 18: PENALTIES (continued)**

- c. If at any time any person is proved guilty of willfully, or intentionally altering any exhibit, or disobeying any Show rules, all prizes or ribbons won by that exhibit shall be returned and that person will be declared ineligible for that show.
- d. No FFA member will be allowed to be under the influence or in possession of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs at any time or any place on the Rodeo grounds. Violation of this rule will result in exhibitor and all exhibits being removed from Show and all prizes and money forfeited.

**RULE 19: AUCTION & AFTER SHOW SALES**

- a. Twelve (12) exhibits in each category will be sold at Auction.
- b. Minimum starting prices for exhibits at Auction and After Show Sale are as follows:

Hog	- \$250.00	Fryer Chickens	- \$100.00
Goat	- \$200.00	Fryer Rabbits	- \$100.00
Lamb	- \$200.00	Steers	- \$1.25 / lb.
Turkey Hen	- \$100.00		
Turkey Tom	- \$100.00		

- c. If an exhibitor has an exhibit which does not make the Auction, an exhibit which the exhibitor does not have a sponsor/buyer for and the exhibitor would like for the Pasadena Livestock Show & Rodeo Association to try and sell this exhibit in the After Show Sale, the exhibitor must fill out an After Show Sale Form. After Show Sale forms will be available on the Pasadena Livestock Show & Rodeo website and in the Livestock Show Office during the Show. The After Show Sale forms must be turned in to the Livestock Show Office no later than 10:00 P.M. on Tuesday, October 5, 2010. FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE DEADLINE DATE OF 10:00 P.M. ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2010.
- d. If an exhibitor elects to withdraw his/her exhibit from the After Show Sale process after submitting the After Show Sale form, the exhibitor must notify one of the Livestock Show secretaries as soon as possible so the exhibit can be pulled from the After Show Sale. If the Livestock Show secretaries are not notified in time and the exhibit is already sold by the time the Livestock Show secretaries are notified, the exhibit cannot be pulled from the After Show Sale.
- e. A list of exhibits sold in the After Show Sale, along with their destinations, will be posted on the board located outside the Livestock Show Office; buyers names will not be furnished at this time. Exhibitors will receive a copy of the buyer's contract from their Agricultural Science Teacher when the exhibitor returns to school on Monday, October 11, 2010 or as soon after this date as possible so that the exhibitor can write thank you letters and/or make delivery of their exhibits.

## **RULE 19: AUCTION & AFTER SHOW SALES (continued)**

- f. Exhibitors, please be advised that there is NO GUARANTEE OF SALE in the After Show Sale.
- g. Non-auction exhibits may be sold in barn after Auction.
- h. Eight percent of sale price will be withheld on all sales (Auction and After Show).
- i. Responsibility for delivering all exhibits sold at the Auction and After Show Sale to a designated prearranged destination and in accordance with the buyer's contract will be up to the exhibitor. Any arrangements made between the exhibitor and his buyer will be considered a personal arrangement.
- j. Judges will be requested not to award a prize to an unworthy exhibit. It is the intention of the Pasadena Rodeo Association that no prize should be given to any exhibit that is not deserving.
- k. All exhibits earning Auction spots will have all ear tags, except for the Pasadena Livestock Show Logo Tag, removed by the Livestock Committee prior to Auction. Any exhibitor wishing to forfeit their Auction spot must notify the Livestock Committee in writing within 4 hours of leaving the show ring.
- l. All exhibitors of animals sold through the Pasadena Rodeo Association must send a thank you letter to their buyer, a copy of which must be sent to the Pasadena Rodeo Association office before any monies can be collected for the animals.
- m. Poultry and Rabbit exhibitors must turn in a signed delivery form to the Pasadena Rodeo Association office in addition to a copy of their thank you letter to their buyer. Delivery forms will be stapled to each Auction and After Show Sale form.

## **RULE 20: AUCTION CAPS**

- a. Definitions. For the purposes of this Rule 21:
  - 1. “Auction Cap” shall mean the maximum award allocable to a particular auction animal and may include the amount of any Dedicated Scholarship.
  - 2. “Dedicated Scholarship” shall mean that part of an Auction Cap that is specifically allocated to the Exhibitor’s post high school education or training. A Dedicated Scholarship is intended to be paid in four equal annual increments in the name of the auction buyer. Not every Grand or Reserve Champion Animal will have a Dedicated Scholarship as a component of its Auction Cap. No Exhibitor shall have a right to demand cash in lieu of a Dedicated Scholarship.
  - 3. “Exhibitor” shall mean the owner of the animal who exhibits it at the Pasadena Livestock Show.

**RULE 20: AUCTION CAPS (continued)**

4. “Excess” shall mean that amount of money to be placed in the Pasadena Livestock Show & Rodeo Association scholarship funds after deduction of eight percent of the gross amount as withholding under Rule 19h and after payment of the Auction Cap as defined herein. Excess may also mean the amount by which the bid for an auction animal exceeds the amount bid for the grand or reserve champion of that species as the case may be after deduction of the eight percent (8%) withholding as provided by Rule 19h.

b. Livestock Auction Caps

1. Livestock Auction Caps are hereby established as follows:

	<b>GRAND CHAMPIONS</b>		<b>RESERVE CHAMPIONS</b>	
	Cash Amount	Scholarship	Cash Amount	Scholarship
Steers	\$30,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$5,000.00
Goats	\$ 6,000.00	None	\$ 3,500.00	None
Hogs	\$11,000.00	None	\$ 5,000.00	None
Lambs	\$ 6,000.00	None	\$ 3,500.00	None
Fryers	\$ 3,000.00	None	\$ 2,200.00	None
Rabbits	\$ 3,000.00	None	\$ 2,200.00	None
Turkey Toms	\$ 4,000.00	None	\$ 2,500.00	None
Turkey Hens	\$ 4,000.00	None	\$ 2,500.00	None

2. No part of the Livestock Auction Cap is guaranteed.
3. The eight percent (8%) withholding provided for by Rule 19h. will be calculated based upon the gross sales amount without regard to the Auction Cap.
4. The Grand Champion of each species must sell for more than the Reserve Champion of its species. The Reserve Champion must sell for more than lower placing animals. In the event that the amount bid for an animal should exceed the Auction Cap or in the event that the amount bid for any animal should be greater than the amount bid for the Grand Champion or Reserve Champion of the species as the case may be, the Excess shall be placed in the scholarship funds.

c. Auction Cap Application.

1. The Pasadena Livestock Show & Rodeo Association has established foregoing Auction Caps for all eligible Exhibitors. The Auction Cap amount is the most that an Exhibitor will receive or should expect to receive. In the event that an animal should sell for less than the total cap amount, the Exhibitor’s award will be reduced accordingly first by reducing any scholarship up to its full extent and next by reducing the cash award made to the Exhibitor.

**RULE 20: AUCTION CAPS (continued)**

2. The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion steer Exhibitors may receive a cash amount not to exceed the specified auction cap and a Dedicated Scholarship in the name of the auction buyer in an amount not to exceed the specified auction cap amount above for four years. The Board of Directors may, from time to time, extend the award of a Dedicated Scholarship to other Grand and Reserve Champion Animals. The scholarship shall be subject to the rules that govern the scholarship awards of the PLS&R generally and be subject also to the following additional conditions:
3. The Exhibitor must enroll in a qualifying institution and curriculum within same number of months of the date of his/her graduation from high school as applies to scholarships generally and must maintain such minimum requirements as apply to maintaining scholarships generally.
4. Should an Exhibitor who is entitled to receive a Dedicated Scholarship fail to qualify for or fail to maintain the scholarship, the balance of the unpaid scholarship escrow shall be placed in the endowment fund.
5. Any interest that may accrue on a dedicated scholarship account will be paid into the endowment fund and not to the Exhibitor.
6. The Excess shall be divided into two parts to be allocated equally between the endowment fund and the general scholarship fund.
7. There are hereby created and recreated an endowment fund and general scholarship fund to give effect to Rule 21.c.6. The general scholarship fund will be administered annually by the scholarship committee. The Executive Board will have control and management of the endowment fund subject to approval of the Board of Directors.

**RULE 21:**

**THE SHOWING OF UNETHICALLY FITTED LIVESTOCK OR LIVESTOCK OF ANY INELIGIBLE AGE FOR EXHIBITION IN THE CLASS ENTERED IS PROHIBITED.**

Unethical fitting is deemed to mean any physical or physiological attempt to alter the natural conformation, musculature or weight of the exhibit by use of injections or ingested material not conducive to the continued health of the exhibit or marketability of its carcass. Exhibits showing, in the opinion of the Show Management, signs of having been unethically fitted will be disqualified. As a condition for participation in the Show, every exhibitor must agree to submit any exhibit entered by exhibitor to inspection by a veterinarian appointed by the management, and agrees to have such exhibit submitted to any tests as may be designated and requested by the veterinarian, and agrees that the conclusions reached by the Show Management as to whether such exhibit is unethically fitted or over age, shall be final, without recourse against the Show or any of its officers.

## **RULE 22: STEERS**

- a. The Tag-in for the 2010 Show will be Saturday, May 1, 2010 starting at 8:00 A.M. at the respective barns of each school for tagging and validation of calves. Tags and/or ID devices will be furnished by the Livestock Committee. If a tag comes out, call the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge or Livestock General Chairman immediately for replacement. There will be no family ownership of steers. Each steer will be tagged for one exhibitor only.
- b. Upon arrival at the 2010 Show, steers will be pre-clipped to no more than ¼” of hair on any part of the body, except the tail switch, which may be ratted and balled or may be bobbed off. Steers will be checked for hair length at the time of weigh-in. No clipping will be allowed on the grounds after weigh-in. Steers found in violation of this rule will be eliminated and removed. Scissors will be allowed for trimming. See Rule 30 for specific grooming rules. Soap and water only may be used for grooming prior to entering the Show ring. Any exhibit which shows evidence of artificial coloring except hoof dressing on hooves and dew claws, will be disqualified.
- c. For safety purposes, a wild or unruly steer may be disqualified from showing.
- d. During the 2010 Show, sand bedding only will be used in Show barn for steers. No wood shavings nor other material will be used.
- e. All steers must have a neck tie halter on them when they are in the in the livestock barn.

## **RULE 23 SHEEP**

- a. All lambs must be wethers or ewes.
- b. The Tag-in for the 2010 Show will be Saturday, July 31, 2010. The Livestock Committee, all Agriculture Science Teachers, Boys and Girls Harbor people and exhibitors of lambs will be ready for tagging and validation starting at 8:00 A.M. at the respective barns of each school. Tags and/or ID devices will be furnished by the Livestock Committee. If a tag comes out, call the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge or Livestock General Chairman immediately for replacement. There will be no family ownership of lambs. Each lamb will be tagged for one exhibitor only.
- c. Upon arrival at the 2010 Show, lambs must be slick shorn from knee and hock up. Lambs with excessive wool will not be weighed until shorn to meet the satisfaction of sifter. There will be no clipping allowed once lambs are weighed in at Show. Soap and water only may be used for grooming prior to entering the Show ring. See Rule 30 for specific grooming rules.
- d. Minimum weight for lambs is 90 lbs.
- e. There can be a + / - 3 lb. variation from the 90 lb. minimum weight requirement.

### **RULE 23 SHEEP (continued)**

- f. During the 2010 Show, sand bedding only will be used in Show barn for sheep. No wood shavings nor other material will be used.

### **RULE 24: HOGS**

- a. All market swine must be barrows.
- b. The Tag-in for the 2010 Show will be Saturday, July 31, 2010. The Livestock Committee, all Agriculture Science Teachers, Boys and Girls Harbor people and exhibitors of hogs will be ready for tagging and validation starting at 8:00 A.M. at the respective barns of each school. Tags and/or ID devices will be furnished by the Livestock Committee. If a tag comes out, call the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge or Livestock General Chairman immediately for replacement. There will be no family ownership of hogs. Each hog will be tagged for one exhibitor only.
- c. Clippers are not allowed on swine on Show grounds. No grooming substances will be used on swine except water prior to entering Show ring. The presence of talc, oils, or any foreign materials is prohibited in the Show ring. See Rule 30 for specific grooming rules.
- d. During the 2010 Show, sand bedding only will be used in Show barn for hogs. No wood shavings nor other material will be used.
- e. Minimum weight for hogs is 220 lbs. and maximum weight is 270 lbs.
- f. There can be a + / - 3 lb. variation from the minimum weight requirement of 220 lbs. and the maximum weight requirement of 270 lbs.
- g. No show boxes larger than 30" wide x 48" long will be allowed in the hog exhibit area.

### **RULE 25: GOATS**

- a. All goats must be wethers or does.
- b. The 2010 Show is open to any breed or crossbreed.
- c. The Tag-in for the 2010 Show will be Saturday, July 31, 2010. The Livestock Committee, all Agriculture Science Teachers, Boys and Girls Harbor people and exhibitors of goats will be ready for tagging and validation starting at 8:00 A.M. at the respective barns of each school. Tags and/or ID devices will be furnished by the Livestock Committee. If a tag comes out, call the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge or Livestock General Chairman immediately for replacement. There will be no family ownership of goats. Each goat will be tagged for one exhibitor only.

## **RULE 25: GOATS (continued)**

- d. Goats are to be shown in natural conformation and color. No grooming substances will be used on goats except soap and water prior to entering Show ring. See Rule 30 for specific grooming rules.
- e. Upon arrival at the 2010 Show, goats must be slick shorn to no more than 3/8" from knee and hock up, excluding the tail switch prior to arrival. There will be no shearing permitted on the Rodeo grounds. Horns must be tipped blunt (no smaller than the diameter of a dime) prior to arrival. Removal of horns will not be permitted on the Rodeo grounds.
- f. Minimum weight for goats is 60 lbs. and maximum weight is 120 lbs.
- g. Exhibitors will be permitted to use halters or neck collars in the Show ring.
- h. There can be a + / - 3 lb. variation from the minimum weight requirement of 60 lbs. and the maximum weight requirement of 120 lbs.
- i. During the 2010 Show, sand bedding only will be used in Show barn for goats. No wood shavings nor other material will be used.

## **RULE 26: POULTRY**

- a. All Poultry will be purchased in the 2010 Central Purchase Orders for the Pasadena Livestock Show. No entry will be accepted unless exhibitor's name appears on the Master List at the time the order is placed. Immediate family ownership is allowed, but all potential exhibitors must be listed on the appropriate order form. All order forms must be signed by the exhibitor, parent/legal guardian and Agriculture Science Teachers. Agriculture Science Teachers and Boys and Girls Harbor will turn in money and appropriate order form by dates specified on the order form.
- b. Poultry order forms can be obtained from the Agriculture Science Teachers.
- c. Turkeys will be ordered in increments of 5 each with a maximum of 15 toms and 15 hens. Fryers will be ordered in increments of 25, with a maximum of 50.
- d. Cash will not be accepted for poultry orders. Payment can be made with either a personal check, cashiers check and/or money order made payable to PLSR in the appropriate amount for exhibitor's order.
- e. All poultry orders must be turned in to Agriculture Teacher by his/her deadline date.

**RULE 26: POULTRY (continued)**

f. The numbers of birds composing a pen are as follows:

	<u># IN PEN</u>
Fryers	3
Turkey Hen	1
Turkey Tom	1

- g. All poultry will be wing-banded with numbered bands. All entries' band numbers must be from numbers assigned to that exhibitor. Poultry without wing-bands, for whatever reason, will not be eligible to show. If the bands show evidence of being tampered with, the pen will be disqualified.
- h. At time of delivery, exhibitor needs to check all wingbands for proper numbers and proper installation. There will be no rebanding after poultry is picked up. If any problems are found, this will be the only time the problems can be corrected. All poultry not picked up on the designated pick up date, will become the property of the Pasadena Livestock Show & Rodeo.
- i. At the 2010 Show poultry will be sifted if the poultry is not in show condition or if the poultry shows signs of diseases or improper wingbands. After passing the sift, poultry will be moved to a staging area to wait for judging. No culls or alternates will be allowed in the staging area.
- j. Only the top 12 exhibits will be assigned pen numbers. These exhibits will remain in their respective pens for the remainder of the 2010 Show.
- k. All dead poultry will be removed from the Show barn and disposed of immediately after notifying show officials. If the exhibitor hands the judge a live exhibit at time of sifting and then the exhibit dies before judging is concluded, then the exhibit will be judged as a live exhibit for the rest of the judging (no substitutions between sift and judging). If an exhibit dies before sifting, it can be replaced with an alternate. Exhibits must be alive when handed to the judge for sifting (do not hand the judge a dead exhibit). If exhibit dies in one of the top 12 pens, the exhibit must be replaced by the next day.
- l. All poultry that did not place in the top 12 must be removed from Show barn within one (1) hour after judging.
- m. All exhibits that are pre-judged will be eligible for the After Show Sale.
- n. Sifting and judging of Fryers will start at 10:00 A.M. on Monday, October 4, 2010.
- o. Sifting and judging of Turkeys will start one (1) hour after Fryers are complete on Monday, October 4, 2010, starting with turkey hens and then turkey toms.

**RULE 26: POULTRY (continued)**

- p. If exhibitor’s entry is selected as Grand Champion, Reserve Champion or Third Place, exhibitor will be REQUIRED to bring that entry to the Auction and these entries will be used to rotate through the rest of the Auction. EXHIBITOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING WATER FOR THE EXHIBIT. Pens will be provided at the Auction for exhibitor’s use by the Livestock Committee.

**RULE 27: FRYER RABBITS**

- a. All fryer rabbits will be ear tattooed by the Livestock Committee on Thursday, September 9, 2010 from 7:00-9:00 P.M. at the Pasadena Rodeo grounds. Immediate family ownership is allowed, but all potential exhibitors must be listed at time fryer rabbits are tattooed.

- b. The weights and numbers of fryer rabbits composing a pen is as follows:

<u># IN PEN</u>	<u>MIN. TOTAL WT.</u>	<u>MAX. TOTAL WT.</u>
3	9 lbs.	18 lbs.

- c. Fryer rabbits will be disqualified from the 2010 Show if they display any of the following conditions at weigh-in:

- |                       |                  |
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| 1. Ear Canker         | 4. Missing teeth |
| 2. Missing Toes/Claws | 5. Sore Hocks    |
| 3. Buck Teeth         |                  |

- d. All fryer rabbits will be weighed and sifted starting at 1:00 P.M. Saturday, October 2, 2010. Judging and placing will begin at 2:00 P.M. Only the top 12 exhibits will be assigned pen numbers. These exhibits will remain in their pens for the remainder of the 2010 Show. All others will be released and removed from the Show grounds within one (1) hour after judging.

- e. Breeder rabbit 2010 Show will be held immediately following fryer rabbit show.

**RULE 28: LIMIT OF ENTRIES**

Exhibitors may enter only one (1) pen in each division.

**RULE 29: CHECK-IN**

- a. ONLY EXHIBITS will be unloaded between 6:00-9:00 A.M. on Saturday, October 2, 2010.

All show boxes and other supplies will be unloaded before 6:00 A.M. or after 9:00 A.M, on Saturday, October 2, 2010.

## **RULE 29: CHECK-IN (continued)**

- b. Official weigh-in for steers, heifers, lambs, hogs, and goats is 9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, October 2, 2010.
- c. Check-in for fryer rabbits will be 1:00 P.M. on Saturday, October 2, 2010.
- d. Check-in for poultry will be 8:00 A.M. on Monday, October 4, 2010.
- e. Livestock shall be weighed on the same scales and stalled in the show barn after weigh-in. This will be supervised by the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge and/or Livestock General Chairman.
- f. First weigh-in on steers is final.
- g. Hogs, lambs and goats will have 2 trips across the scale to make minimum to maximum weight before being sifted. If weight on first trip across scales falls between minimum and maximum weights, that weight will be recorded as the official show weight.
- h. No substitution of steers, lambs, goats, and hogs will be allowed after official weigh-in.

## **RULE 30: GROOMING**

Grooming of livestock during the 2010 Show can be done only by Agriculture Science Teachers, exhibitors, immediate family members, or as directed by Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge or his representative. No change of the color pattern of the exhibit by painting or dyeing will be allowed except for hoofs and dew claws. Any grooming material, other than soap and water, that allows color/residue to come off from any exhibit will not be allowed in the Show ring during judging. A random swab test will be conducted for unapproved grooming materials such as oils, talcs, adhesives, etc. If the rules are broken, that particular exhibit will be disqualified, removed from Show grounds and all monies forfeited.

## **RULE 31: DISPUTES**

Any and all differences, disputes, changes, and discrepancies concerning steers, lambs, hogs, rabbits, goats, and poultry will be settled by the Livestock Chairman / E-Board Officer in Charge and/or Livestock General Chairman on hand.

## **RULE 32: AG MECHANICS PROJECT SHOW**

### Purpose:

- To provide an opportunity for FFA members to display projects constructed through their Agricultural Science Program.
- To promote the development of shop-oriented skills through Agricultural Mechanics.
- To recognize individual and group accomplishments in the area of Agricultural Mechanics.
- To provide an opportunity for public appreciation of this important FFA Program.

## **RULE 32: AG MECHANICS PROJECT SHOW (continued)**

- a. Ownership – Projects may be individually or group constructed and may be individually or chapter owned and entered.
- b. Entries – entry in this division is limited to members of the following FFA Chapters:
  - a. Dobie
  - b. Pasadena
  - c. Pasadena Memorial
  - d. Sam Rayburn
  - e. South Houston
  - f. Deer Park
- c. Entry Fee – Entry fee will be \$20 and must be mailed to the PLSRA office (Attention: Karen Brown) and postmarked by midnight Sept. 1.
- d. Construction Date – A project may be exhibited only one time at the Pasadena Livestock Show and must have been started within one calendar year of the show date.
- e. Project Presentation – All projects must be painted or properly treated and must be in a clean and presentable condition, even though they may have been used.
- f. Documentation – An original, hand drawn or computer program generated, plan or drawing, a bill of materials, and photographs showing all phases of construction are to be provided with projects. TxDOT and ASAE regulations must be printed and provided when applicable.
- g. Vehicles – Tractors, Trucks, or other vehicles (including non-entered trailers) are not allowed in the exhibit area as part of the display.
- h. Classification – Any project deemed not to fit in the category to which it was entered may be disqualified at the committee’s discretion.
- i. Loss or Damage – Every precaution will be taken to protect project while on show grounds. However, Pasadena Livestock Show and Rodeo Association will not be liable for loss or damage to any project.
- j. Signs – Projects are to be labeled with standard exhibitor cards. No “For Sale” signs are allowed on any project while on show grounds.

**RULE 32: AG MECHANICS PROJECT SHOW (continued)**

- k. Judging system – Project will be judged as follows:
- a. Workmanship 30 pts.
  - b. Design and Materials Used 20 pts.
  - c. Practicality 20 pts.
  - d. Degree of Difficulty 10 pts.
  - e. General Appearance & Finish 10 pts.
  - f. Documentation and Presentation 10 pts.
    - i. Failure to provide all required documentation will result in projects being lowered one classification
    - ii. Ties will be broken at the judge’s discretion
- l. Awards – Awards will given as follows:
- Class Awards
- a. 90-100 pts. Blue Ribbon
  - b. 80-89 pts. Red Ribbon
  - c. 70-79 pts. White Ribbon
    - All Blue Ribbon projects in a class will be judged against each other and a Division Champion will be selected and awarded a Plaque.
    - All Division champion projects will be judged against each other and an Overall Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion of Show will be selected and awarded a Champion Banner
    - Additional Prizes may be given at the discretion of the committee.
    - No exhibits are eligible for the Auction or After-Sale.
- m. Classes will be as follows:
- Division 1 – Agricultural Machinery and Equipment
- a. Hay Equipment
  - b. Spraying Equipment
  - c. Mounted and Pull type Equipment
  - d. Hydraulic Equipment
  - e. Shop Equipment
  - f. Truck, Tractor, other Accessories
- Division 2 – Electrical Equipment
- a. Show and Livestock Equipment (electrical only)
  - b. Shop Tools (electrical only)
- Division 3 – Livestock Handling Equipment
- a. Gates & Panels
  - b. Livestock Restraining Equipment
  - c. Trim Chutes
  - d. Feeders
  - e. Blocking Stands
  - f. Livestock Crates

**RULE 32: AG MECHANICS PROJECT SHOW (continued)**

Division 4 – Trailers

- a. Small Utility (under 12' length)
- b. Bumper Pull (over 12' length)
- c. Gooseneck Lowboy
- d. Gooseneck Flatbed
- e. Stock Trailer
- f. Special Purpose Use

Division 5 – Home Convenience and Recreation

- a. Barbeque Pits
- b. Picnic Tables
- c. Furniture Projects