

**2018 Junior Judging Contest Entry Form
San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo**

Club Name:

Coach Name:

Coach Contact Info (email & phone):

Email -

Phone -

Contest	Number of Teams	Entry Fee	Team Entry Fee
Agrobotics Challenge – Team 3 - 6			
Junior – 11 -13		\$75	
Senior – 14 – 18		\$75	
Consumer Decision – Team 3 - 4			
Junior - 8 - 10		\$40	
Intermediate – 11 - 13		\$40	
Senior – 14 - 18		\$40	
Dairy Judging		\$40	
Horse Judging – Team 3 - 4			
Junior – 8 – 13		\$40	
Senior – 14 - 18		\$40	
Livestock Judging – Team 3 - 4			
Junior – 8 – 14		\$40	
Senior – 14 - 18		\$40	
Meat Judging		\$40	
Poultry Judging		\$40	
Wool Judging		\$40	
Wildlife Judging		\$40	
Club Total Fee:			\$\$

Coach Signature

Date

List team member names on back of this form.

(OVER)

Contest _____

Team #1 Names

Team #2 Names

Team #3 Names

Entry form is due to the County 4-H office by **Friday, November 17th, 2017**. Make check payable to Bexar 4-H Fund.

Contest _____

Team #1 Names

Team #2 Names

Team #3 Names

JUNIOR JUDGING CONTESTS

ENTRY DEADLINE: DECEMBER 1, 2017

These contests are subject to the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo General Rules, the Junior Livestock Show Rules, and Special Rules listed in this section.

SPECIAL RULES

1. **Entry:** An entry fee made payable to S.A.L.E. is required. Entries must be submitted online and official San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo entry forms must be completed. .
2. **Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.
3. **Eligibility:** ASTs and CEAs may enter one (1) or more teams in the following contests: Consumer, Dairy, Floriculture, Horse, Livestock, Meat, Poultry, Wildlife, and Wool Judging. FCCLA Advisors may enter one (1) or more teams in the Consumer Judging Contest. One (1) to four (4) members may constitute a team. The three (3) high scores will determine the teams' score. Team members are eligible for individual awards. All team members must be from the same FFA Chapter, County 4-H Program, or FCCLA Chapter. All team members must be in good standing with their organizations.
4. **Participation:** Only contestants officially entered in the contest may participate.
5. **Disqualification:** While a contest is in progress, there will be no use of electronic devices (cell phones, etc.), talking or unethical communication between contestants or audience. Violating this rule may cause the contestant and the team to be disqualified and ineligible to receive awards. Only contestants and contest officials will be permitted in the judging area during the contest. All contestants must have their group identification clearly visible on their clothing.
6. **Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available [here](#). Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.
7. **Results:** Results will be announced at the awards ceremony. Results are final and re-examination of scores will not be permitted. Results will be available at: www.judgingcard.com.
8. **Awards:** Awards will be presented at the location in which the contest is held or a location designated during the contest orientation.
9. **Grounds Admittance:** Each team member will be issued a one-day pass for admittance on the grounds for the day of the contest. Other persons wishing to accompany judging team members must purchase grounds admission. No persons shall be granted admission on the grounds without an admission pass or other approved credentials.

CONSUMER DECISION MAKING CONTEST

Superintendents: Megan Logan, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley

CONTEST SCHEDULE

Registration:	Saturday	February 17	8am	CB
Contest:	Saturday	February 17	9am	CB

Purpose: To gain skills in making decisions based on facts. Gain knowledge in consumer education by analyzing consumer situations.

1. **Divisions:** The contest and teams will be divided into three (3) divisions:

Junior	Ages 8-10
Intermediate	Ages 11-13
Senior	Ages 14-18

Age as of August 31, 2017. Team will compete based on the age of the oldest member. Any junior or intermediate may register and compete on a senior team for a higher possible point total.

2. **Classes:** Contestants will judge six (6) classes selected from consumer products. EX: blue jeans, snack foods, sunscreens, shampoo, checking account, etc. Contestants will be allowed eight (8) minutes for judging each class.

Junior teams and individuals are not required to give reasons. One (1) class of reasons will be required for Intermediates and two (2) classes of reasons for Seniors.

3. **Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be Universal A #705A-12. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest. Each contestant is required to bring two #2 pencils and one clipboard.

4. **Scores:** Scores will be based on placing only for Junior teams and individuals. Scores are based on placing plus one (1) reasons class for Intermediates and two (2) reasons classes for Seniors. All ties among any placing team or individual will be broken via designated tie-breakers.

5. **Study Materials:** All study materials for this contest are located at:

http://texas4-h.tamu.edu/project_consumer/cdm.

Study Guides will be available after December 1, 2017, at each county extension office and on the website listed.

6. **Calculators:** Calculators will be allowed.

7. **Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.

8. **Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available [here](#). Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.

9. **Scholarships:** Refer to the Junior Livestock Show Scholarship section of the 2018 Livestock Premium List.

DAIRY JUDGING CONTEST**Superintendents: Ron Woolley, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley****CONTEST SCHEDULE**

Registration:	Friday	February 9	8am	CB
Contest:	Friday	February 9	9am	CB

- 1. Divisions:** All contestants will compete in one division.
- 2. Classes:** Contestants will judge up to six classes of four animals each. There will be two sets of questions. Contestants will have twelve (12) minutes to observe class and complete cards.
- 3. Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be Universal A #705A-12. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest. Each contestant is required to bring two #2 pencils and one clipboard.
- 4. Scores:** Scores are based on placing of total classes plus questions. Contestants will be notified of the classes requiring questions before placing that class. Contestants will have seven minutes to study notes and five minutes to answer questions. All ties among any placing team or individual will be broken.
- 5. Dairy Cattle:** S.A.L.E. reserves the right to utilize Dairy Cattle entered in the Junior and/or Open Dairy Cattle Show for the Dairy Judging Contest.
- 6. Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.
- 7. Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available [here](#). Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.
- 8. Scholarships:** Refer to the Junior Livestock Show Scholarship section of the 2018 Livestock Premium List.



FLORICULTURE CONTEST

Superintendents: TBA, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley

CONTEST SCHEDULE

Registration:	Thursday	February 8	8am	CB
Contest:	Thursday	February 8	9am	CB

Purpose: The purpose of the Floriculture Contest is to stimulate the study of, and interest in, the production and retailing of cut flowers, plants and foliage through the agricultural education curriculum. The event requires students to identify plant materials, tools, and pests common to the industry, demonstrate knowledge and understanding of scientific principles and management practices applied in the industry via a written exam, make observations, draw conclusions, and utilize higher order thinking skills in problem solving situations.

- Divisions:** All contestants will compete in one division.
- Classes:** Contestants will compete in classes selected from the lists in the Texas FFA Floriculture CDE Rules.

The contest classes are as follows (from the Floriculture CDE Rules noted above):

Section 1

- Four (4) blooming container plants for placing (50 points)
- Four (4) foliage container plants for placing (50 points)
- Four (4) floral designs for placing (50 points)
- Eight (8) specimen of line flowers for Keep/Cull (50 points)
- Eight (8) specimen of form flowers for Keep/Cull (50 points)
- Eight (8) specimen of mass flowers for Keep/Cull (50 points)

Section 2 & 3

- Sixty (60) specimen of plants/tools/pests/diseases for identification (600 points)

Section 4

- Problem Solving Practicum (100 points)

Section 5

- General Knowledge Written Examination (100 points)

Contestants will be divided into 5 groups. Contestants will have 30 minutes to complete each section of the contest.

- Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be Universal C #705C-1. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest. Each contestant is required to bring two #2 pencils and one clipboard.
- Scores:** Scores will be based on placings of three (3) placing classes, sixty (60) identification, three (3) keep/cull classes, problem solving practicum, and the general knowledge written examination. All ties among any placing team or individual will be broken via designated tie-breakers.
- Study Materials:** All study materials for this contest are located at:
https://www.texasffa.org/docs/FLORICULTURE_84915.pdf

HORSE JUDGING CONTEST

Superintendents: TBA, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley

CONTEST SCHEDULE

Registration:	Monday	February 12	7:30am	Expo Hall
Contest:	Monday	February 12	8:30am	Expo Hall

- Divisions:** There contest will be divided into the following divisions: Junior FFA, Senior FFA, Junior 4-H, and Senior 4-H.

Junior Ages 8-13
Senior Ages 14-18

Age as of August 31, 2017. Team will compete based on the age of the oldest member. Any junior may register and compete on a senior team for a higher possible point total.

- Classes:** Contestants will judge six (6) classes of four (4) horses each. Two (2) halter classes and four (4) performance classes. Performance classes to be selected from Showmanship, Horsemanship, Western Pleasure, Hunter Under Saddle, Western Riding, Reining, Trail, Hunter Hack, Hunt Seat Equitation, Ranch Riding, and Stock Horse Pleasure. Contestants are allowed fifteen (15) minutes to place each class.

There will be three (3) questions classes for Seniors, one (1) halter and two (2) performance, each worth 25 points. There will be two (2) questions classes for Juniors, one (1) halter and one (1) performance, each worth 25 points. Questions classes will consist of five (5) questions each. The contestants will be notified of the reasons/questions class before placing that class. Contestants will be allowed to utilize their notes when answering questions in questions classes.

- Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be Universal A #705A-12. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest. Each contestant is required to bring two #2 pencils and one clipboard.
- Scores:** Scores are based on placing of the six (6) classes plus three (3) questions classes for Senior and two (2) questions classes for Juniors. All ties among any placing team or individual will be broken via designated tie-breakers.
- Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.
- Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available [here](#). Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.
- Scholarships:** Refer to the Junior Livestock Show Scholarship section of the 2018 Livestock Premium List.

LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST

Superintendents: Dr. Chris Skaggs, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley

CONTEST SCHEDULE

Registration:	Sunday	February 25	7:30am	CB
Contest:	Sunday	February 25	9am	CB

1. **Divisions:** There contest will be divided into the following divisions: Junior FFA, Senior FFA, Junior 4-H, and Senior 4-H.

Junior	Ages 8-13
Senior	Ages 14-18

Age as of August 31, 2017. Team will compete based on the age of the oldest member. Any junior may register and compete on a senior team for a higher possible point total.

2. **Classes:** Contestants will judge nine (9) classes of four (4) animals each. The classes will be made up of animals representing the following species: Cattle, Goats, Sheep, and Swine. **No animals will be handled.** Contestants will have twelve (12) minutes to observe and complete cards.

There will be four (4) questions classes, consisting of five (5) questions each, for Seniors and two (2) questions class for Juniors. Contestants will be notified of the classes requiring questions before placing that class. Contestants will have five (5) minutes to study notes and five (5) minutes to answer questions. Contestants will not be allowed to review their notes while answering questions.

3. **Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be Universal A #705A-12. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest. Each contestant is required to bring two #2 pencils and one clipboard.
4. **Scores:** Scores are based on placings of the nine (9) classes plus four (4) questions classes for Seniors and two (2) for Juniors. All ties among any placing team or individual will be broken.
5. **Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.
6. **Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available [here](#). Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.
7. **Scholarships:** Refer to the Junior Livestock Show Scholarship section of the 2018 Livestock Premium List.

MEAT JUDGING CONTEST

Superintendents: Dr. Mark Miller, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley

CONTEST SCHEDULE

Registration:	Sunday	February 11	7am	Cargill*
Orientation:	Sunday	February 11	7:45am	Cargill*
Contest:	Sunday	February 11	8am	Cargill*

*Cargill Food Distribution adjoining Crystal Cold Storage, 4231 Profit Street, San Antonio, TX

1. **Division:** There will be one FFA division and one 4-H division.

2. **Classes:**

4-H Division - The following classes will be judged: Thirty (30) retail cut identifications, including cookery method, six (6) placing classes and two (2) sets of questions.

FFA Division - The following classes will be judged: Six beef grading carcasses, forty (40) retail cut identifications, including cookery method, six (6) placing classes, two (2) sets of questions and a written exam. The written exam will consist of twenty-five, two point questions. Questions will ONLY come from: a) Meat Evaluation Handbook DVD available from CEV b) Same Chapters will be used at Nationals.

Contestants will be allowed ten minutes for judging each class. Contestants will be notified one minute before the time is up. When final time is called, the contestants will hand their score cards to the group leader immediately. Each group of contestants will change to another class as directed by the Coordinator.

3. **Scores:** The Hormel System will be used to score this contest. The use of standard deviation (a method of calculating consistency) will be used to break individual and team ties. All ties among any placing team or individual will be broken.

4. **Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be #480-4. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest. Each contestant is required to bring two #2 pencils and one clipboard.

5. **Frocks/Hard Hats:** Contestants must bring their own white frocks, hard hats and hair nets to wear during the contest.

6. **Location:** Contest will be held off site at a location secured by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The awards and/or orientation may be held at an outdoor site and the contestants should be dressed accordingly.

7. **Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.

8. **Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available [here](#). Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.

9. **Scholarships:** Refer to the Junior Livestock Show Scholarship section of the 2018 Livestock Premium List.

POULTRY JUDGING CONTEST

Superintendents: TBD, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley

CONTEST SCHEDULE

Registration:	Sunday	February 18	8am	CB
Contest:	Sunday	February 18	9am	CB

- Divisions:** All contestants will compete in one division.
- Classes:** The classes of birds, eggs, market poultry, and poultry examination will be similar to those used in the Texas FFA Poultry Career Development Events (judging contest). The manual used in FFA is titled **POULTRY SCIENCE MANUAL FOR NATIONAL FFA CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS**, 6th Ed. It may be purchased from Instructional Materials Service (IMS), Texas A&M University, Box 2588-TAMUS, College Station, Texas 77843-2588; (979) 845-6601. This book is used in the Texas FFA Poultry Judging Contest. Slide sets showing essentials for grading eggs, grading carcasses and selecting and placing birds are available from IMS.

The contest classes are as follows (from the Poultry Science Manual noted above):

- Four (4) 6 to 8 week old meat-type market broilers for meat production (50 points, no reasons)
- Four (4) past production egg-type hens for placing (50 points, no reasons)
- Ten (10) ready-to-cook broiler carcasses graded according to USDA grading standards (50 points, no reasons)
- Four (4) turkey carcasses for placing (50 points, no reasons)
- Ten (10) Chicken eggs for interior quality grading (50 points, no reasons)
- Fifteen shell eggs for exterior quality grading (50 points, no reasons)
- Evaluation criteria for Class 8 (75 points, no reasons)
- Boneless further-processed poultry meat products (50 points, no reasons)
- Bone-in further processed poultry meat products (50 points, no reasons)
- Written Examination (100 points)

Each participant will have 12 minutes to complete each class. There will be a two-minute warning alerting the participant of the approaching end of the 12-minute period. The participants will have one minute to move from class to class.

- Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be #478-5. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest. Each contestant is required to bring two #2 pencils and one clipboard.
- Scores:** All grading of carcasses and eggs, and placing of classes will be done by an official grader and judge. Using the official placings, basis of grading (cuts) will be based on the Hormel Computing Slide. Ties will be broken according to FFA rules for breaking ties (See Texas FFA Career Events Handbook #0419-S, Instructional Material Services, College Station, TX 77843-6601.)
- Handling:** All live animals, eggs and carcasses must be handled with the utmost care and respect, or the participant will be removed from the contest and disqualified. Rough handling of materials will result in disqualification from the contest.
- Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.

7. **Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available [here](#). Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.
8. **Scholarships:** Refer to the Junior Livestock Show Scholarship section of the 2018 Livestock Premium List.

WILDLIFE JUDGING CONTEST

Superintendents: **Dr. Terry Blankenship, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley**

CONTEST SCHEDULE

Registration:	Friday	February 23	8am	National Shooting Complex*
Contest:	Friday	February 23	9am	National Shooting Complex*

*National Shooting Complex, 5931 Rofit Road, San Antonio, TX 78253

1. **Location:** Contest will be held off site at a location secured by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. This will be an outdoor site and the contestants should be dressed accordingly.
2. **Format:** Contest format will follow the Revised 2017 Wildlife and Recreation Management Study Guide, Catalog order No. 4400, from Instructional Materials Service, Texas A&M University, 2588 TAMUS, College Station, Texas 77843-2588. Phone (979) 845-6601.
3. **Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be #710TX-4. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest.
4. **Plant List:** The plants used in Questions 1 & 2 at the contest will be based on the plant information in the Wildlife and Recreation Management Study Guide from only the State WRM CDE plant list.
5. **Contest Rules:** Contest will follow the rules for the State FFA Wildlife and Recreation Management Contest. Also refer to the Wildlife and Recreation Management Study Guide. Coaches and teams that do not follow these rules will not be allowed to compete. In the even that San Antonio Stock Show rules conflict with the State FFA Wildlife and Recreation Management Contest rules, San Antonio Stock Show rules will apply.
6. The contest will be based on the 8 question areas, which are identified in the State FFA contest:
 - a. Wildlife Plant Identification
 - b. Wildlife Plant Preference
 - c. Wildlife Biological Facts – 20 questions
 - d. Wildlife Habitat Evaluation
 - e. Wildlife and Habitat Management Practices
 - f. Game Laws – 15 questions
 - g. Safety
 - h. Techniques - 20 items
7. **Approved Items:** Contestants may only bring the approved items to the competition site. Each contestant will be allowed to bring the following items into the contest site:
 - a. #2 lead pencils
 - b. Clean, unmarked manila type folder
 - c. One-gallon, sealable bag (when weather conditions make it necessary)
 - d. Clear clipboard
8. **Unapproved Items:** Contestants are not allowed to bring any of the items listed below to the contest site. If any contestant is found to be in possession of any of these items, the entire team will be disqualified and escorted from the contest. The items are:
 - a. Cell phones, pagers, any communication device, or any electronic device
 - b. Any printed or written materials including a clean plant list.
 Contestants' materials will be inspected for unapproved items. Any contestant found to possess unapproved items during the contest will be disqualified and removed from competition.
9. **Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.

10. **Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available at www.sarodeo.com. Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.
11. **Scholarships:** Refer to the Junior Livestock Show Scholarship section of the 2018 Livestock Premium List.

WOOL JUDGING CONTEST

Superintendents: Ty Crooks, Dr. Stanley F. Kelley

CONTEST SCHEDULE

Registration:	Saturday	February 10	11am	CB
Contest:	Saturday	February 10	12:30pm	CB

1. **Divisions:** 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters will compete as one division.
2. **Classes:** Contestants will judge four (4) wool classes and twenty (20) grading fleeces.

Contestants will be allowed twenty (20) minutes on each class of fleeces to make their observations and to mark their placing and reasons. Contestants will be given forty (40) minutes on each of the grading divisions of the wool. ALL FLEECES WILL BE JUDGED AS SOUND EXCEPT TO ANSWER THE STAPLE STRENGTH QUESTION(S).

3. **Materials:** Scantrons will be provided by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. The official scantron will be Wool #528-4. Students should know how to use scantrons and forms properly before coming to the contest. Each contestant is required to bring two #2 pencils and one clipboard.
4. **Social Security Number Requirement:** All contestants must have a personal Social Security Number to be eligible to participate in the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo. Social Security Numbers must be presented at registration on the day of the contest.
5. **Registration Forms:** Team registration forms are available [here](#). Coaches are encouraged to bring completed forms to the registration table the day of the respective contest in order to expedite registration.
6. **Scholarships:** Refer to the Junior Livestock Show Scholarship section of the 2018 Livestock Premium List.