

4-H Animal Lines

November 2002

"Decide not rashly. The decision made can never be recalled."

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DATES TO REMEMBER . . .

December 1	- Ownership deadline on beef breeding, commercial beef heifers, purebred dairy, commercial dairy heifers, dairy goats and hogs for 2003 District & Junior Round-Up Shows
December 7	- Jackson County Holiday Classic Beef Show
December 15	- Deadline for nomination forms and entries on X drive for hogs for 2003 District & Junior Round-Up Shows
January 3	- Entries for beef breeding, commercial beef heifers, purebred dairy heifers, commercial dairy heifers and dairy goats
January 4	- Lawrence County Open Invitational Show
January 9-12	-Western 4-H Round-Up - Denver
January 11-12	-South Mississippi Winter Classic Open Youth Beef Show
January 23-25	-NE District Livestock Show – Verona
January 23-25	-NW District Livestock Show – Batesville
January 24-26	-SE District Livestock Show – Hattiesburg
January 27-29	-Delta District Livestock Show – Greenwood
January 27-30	-SW District Livestock Show - Jackson

► **REMINDER – 2003 DISTRICT AND JUNIOR ROUND-UP SHOWS!!**

◆ **PURCHASING PROJECT ANIMALS FOR SPRING SHOWS**

Spring shows will be here soon. Now is a good time to run a final survey of your 4-H'ers to determine if additional purchases are needed, and be locating them. The only ownership deadlines that have passed are for steers, market goats, and lambs. So all other project animals can still be purchased. Ownership deadlines on project animals for spring shows are:

Market Goats	- October 1	Beef Breeding	- December 1
Market Lambs	- August 1	Commercial Beef Heifers	- December 1
Steers	- August 1	Hogs	- December 1
Purebred Dairy	- December 1	Dairy Goats	- December 1
Commercial Dairy Heifers	- December 1		

◆ **CATTLE REGISTRATION PAPERS FOR JUNIOR SHOWS**

Double check registration papers on breeding beef and purebred dairy to be sure they are in proper order. Now is the time to correct any problems. Remember that papers must be in the 4-H'ers name only. Farm names or joint ownership with adults are not acceptable. Don't assume that everything is right – check!! Papers may be in multiple siblings' names provided they are all 18 years of age or younger.

◆ **ENTRIES FOR DISTRICT & ROUND-UP SHOWS**

Now is the time to be getting your entries in order. You will be getting more information soon about these events. All purebred dairy, commercial dairy heifers, beef breeding, commercial beef heifers and dairy goats (district only) will be entered on the X drive like we did for State Fair. **These entries will be due Friday, January 3, 2003.**

◆ **STEERS, COMMERCIAL BEEF HEIFERS, AND COMMERCIAL DAIRY HEIFERS**

Double check with your 4-H'ers who are exhibiting steers, commercial beef heifers, and commercial dairy heifers about horns. All commercial beef heifers and steers showing at the District and Round-Up Shows must be polled or dehorned, with no scurs or regrowth to exceed 1½ inches above the skin. All commercial dairy heifers must be dehorned. Too often with a poor job of dehorning, regrowth may occur. Now is the time to take off the horns or any regrowth to allow for proper healing.

Registered heifers are not eligible for the commercial heifer shows.

◆ **HOGS SHOWING AT 2003 DISTRICT AND ROUND-UP SHOWS**

All market hogs for the 2003 District and Round-Up Shows must be nominated and ear tagged within 15 days after ownership deadline. Below are the dates for deadlines:

December 1, 2002	- Ownership deadline on hogs for 2003 District & Round-Up Shows
December 15, 2002	- Nomination forms on hogs for 2003 District & Round-Up Shows and submitted county nominations on the X drive.

Nomination Process for Hogs- What you must submit for each hog nominated:

1. Individual nomination form for each hog. Each nomination form must be complete and signed by the exhibitor, parent, and supervising Extension Agent or Vo-Ag Advisor.
2. Official ear tag number – each hog must be tagged with official ear tag for 2003 prior to nomination deadline.
3. Submit county entries on X drive (information on procedure to do this will come later)
4. Hard copy of information on X drive (keep a hard copy for your files).

Please let hog exhibitors know about these dates and double check with them to be sure your records are in order and that all market hogs are properly entered. Do not send us nomination forms after deadline date. Please do not wait until the last day to take care of this business.

Order form for hog tags and nomination forms for hogs were sent to you earlier. If you failed to get this material, please call my office. County Extension Agents or Vo-Ag Advisors must make nominations of hogs under their supervision.

All hogs must be ear tagged (by December 15th) and nomination forms must be (duplicate forms as needed) returned to the MSU Animal and Dairy Sciences Department by December 15, 2002.

Each hog must have an individual nomination form and form must be complete, including breed information, signed by the exhibitor, parent, and Extension Agent/Vo-Ag Advisor.

◆ **EXHIBITOR'S AGE FOR DISTRICT LIVESTOCK SHOWS & DIXIE NATIONAL JUNIOR ROUND-UP**

Remember that exhibitor's age will be 8 –18 years of age as of December 31, 2002. You have the responsibility to see that all exhibitors are of the proper age.

◆ **VOLUNTEER LEADERS MUST BE CERTIFIED**

VOLUNTEER LEADERS WHO MAY BE ASSISTING YOUR 4-H'ERS GROOM ANIMALS MUST BE OFFICIALLY CERTIFIED VOLUNTEER LEADERS OF THE 4-H PROGRAM IN MISSISSIPPI. This means you must submit the names of these volunteers to the State 4-H Department, if you did not do this for the State Fair in October. The volunteer leaders submitted in the fall will still be on the list. However, if you have additions, the names must be submitted as soon as possible. Be sure to list the volunteer leaders who will be assisting your 4-H'ers with animals at the show. Prior to the Dixie National I will secure a list of additions to the volunteer list from the State 4-H Department.

► **LIVESTOCK ETHICS CERTIFICATION PROGRAM**

As you know any 4-H or FFA exhibitor and at least one parent that plans to exhibit animals at the 2003 District Livestock Shows and Mississippi Junior Round-Up must have completed the **Livestock Ethics Certification Program**. All Extension Agents and Vo-Ag Advisors that plan to teach the Livestock Ethics Certification Program must also be certified.

► **2002 MISSISSIPPI STATE FAIR RESULTS**

The 2002 Mississippi State Fair junior livestock shows were excellent youth events. Participation was up in the commercial beef heifer, lamb, purebred dairy, commercial dairy heifer and hog shows, along with the Pretty Cow Contest and Dairy Sweetheart Contests.

The State Fair was really an outstanding event and "showcase" for the junior livestock program in Mississippi. The number of people involved in these events and the crowds in attendance at the shows were very impressive. The shows ran really smooth and agents, leaders, parents, and exhibitors are to be commended on their fine cooperation and dedicated work put into this event to make it successful. Congratulations! Look at the figures below to see the number of State Fair Livestock exhibits in recent years.

Contest	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Beef Breeding	588	702	713	755	784	717	733	700	620	510
Commercial Beef Heifers	202	237	252	218	194	179	188	169	158	161
Steers	96	85	86	89	98	100	114	117	104	96
Lambs	521	450	457	443	447	429	373	343	257	270
Swine	157	113	89	71	82	62	49	53	58	60
Sheep Lead Class	32	33	33	30	33	22	17	15	15	9
Shepherd Award	1	3	4	5	8	3	2	2	2	1
Purebred Dairy Animals	245	279	275	244	177	157	150	148	151	186
Commercial Dairy Heifers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	16	31
Pretty Cow Contest	20	22	26	23	18	24	17	17	23	28
Dairy Cow Sweetheart	30	30	23	11	11	11	8	11	13	18
Dairy Goat Sweetheart	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	6	3	4
4-H Livestock Judging	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	47	33
4-H Dairy Judging	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	12	8
4-H Beef Cookout Contest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	35	26
4-H Pork Cookout Contest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	12	11
TOTAL	1895	1955	1956	1895	1844	1704	1658	1730	1526	1452

BREAKDOWN OF THE BREEDS FOR THE FOLLOWING SPECIES IS:

BEEF BREEDING

Angus

99

BEEF COMMERCIAL HEIFERS

English & English Crosses

36

Beefmaster	32	European & European Crosses	62
Brahman	52	Brahman & Brahman Crosses	<u>63</u>
Brangus	54		161
Charolais	27		
Gelbvieh	24	<u>LAMBS</u>	
Hereford	55	Suffolk	76
Limousin	26	Oxford	19
Other Breeds	23	Shropshire & Other Breeds	47
Santa Gertrudis	23	Hampshire	48
Simbrah	22	Crosses	<u>80</u>
Simmental	<u>73</u>		270
	510		

STEERS**PROSPECTS:**

English & English Crosses	4
Brahman & Brahman Crosses	20
European & European Crosses	13

PROGRESS:

English & English Crosses	6
Brahman & Brahman Crosses	4
European & European Crosses	<u>49</u>
	96

MARKET HOGS

Shown by Weight only 60

DAIRY

Ayrshire	14
Brown Swiss	19
Guernsey	9
Holstein	77
Jersey	<u>67</u>
	186

COMMERCIAL DAIRY HEIFERS

Shown by Weight 31

BELOW IS A REPORT ON NUMBER OF YOUTH AND NUMBER OF EXHIBITORS FOR THE VARIOUS SHOWS AT THE STATE FAIR:

Show	*4-H Youth	4-H Animals	*FFA Youth	FFA Animals	Total Youth	Total Animals
Beef Breeding	201	355	81	155	282	510
Commercial Beef Heifers	75	90	61	71	136	161
Steers	71	71	29	25	100	96
Lambs	103	268	1	2	104	270
Hogs	38	56	3	4	41	60
Dairy	61	176	3	10	64	186
Commercial Dairy Heifers	20	31	0	0	20	31
TOTALS	569	1047	178	267	747	1314

*Youth members reported in this chart are less than actual totals - computer records entries in multiple names as one entry.

BEEF BREEDING

OTHER BREEDS

Champion Heifer	Logan Powell	Simpson 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer	Ty Miller	Seminary FFA
Champion Bull	J. J. Smith	Mendenhall FFA
Reserve Champion Bull	Matt Anderson	Smith 4-H

SIMMENTAL

Champion Heifer	Rebecca Boatner	Yazoo 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer	Mandy Woods	Seminary FFA
Champion Bull	Preston Braddock	NE Jones FFA
Reserve Champion Bull	George Boone	Petal FFA

ANGUS

Champion Heifer	Megan Donahoe	Sunflower 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer	Kayla Gunn	Tippah 4-H
Champion Bull	Emma Collins	Forest-Scott FFA
Reserve Champion Bull	Trey Gunn	Tippah 4-H

LIMOUSIN

Champion Heifer	Karoline Thornton	Jackson 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer	Ty/Wyatt/Wes Herrington	W Jones FFA
Champion Bull	Curt Williams	NE Jones FFA
Reserve Champion Bull	Curt Williams	NE Jones FFA

HEREFORD

Champion Heifer	Meredith McCurdy	S Panola FFA
Reserve Champion Heifer	Cody/Jena Dimberg	Tallahatchie 4-H
Champion Bull	Alisha Barnett	Panola 4-H
Reserve Champion Bull	Seazie Warren	Smith 4-H

BRANGUS

Champion Heifer	Todd Sullivan	Mendenhall FFA
Reserve Champion Heifer	Sara Gowan	Attala 4-H
Champion Bull	Todd Sullivan	Mendenhall FFA
Reserve Champion Bull	Heather Waldrop	Madison 4-H

GELBVIEH

Champion Heifer	Bristen Breaux	Hancock 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer	Lillian Rogers	Forrest 4-H
Champion Bull	Ethan Hoda	Hancock 4-H
Reserve Champion Bull	Seth Sumrall	Taylorsville FFA

SANTA GERTRUDIS

Champion Heifer	Kristen Holland	Franklin FFA
Reserve Champion Heifer	Jarrod Killebrew	Hinds 4-H
Champion Bull	Kristen Holland	Franklin FFA
Reserve Champion Bull	Doug Kelly	Forest-Scott FFA

BRAHMAN

Champion Heifer	Corey Ladner	Pearl River 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer	B. J. Dickens	Lamar 4-H
Champion Bull	Betsy Haley	Lincoln 4-H
Reserve Champion Bull	Jodi Hartfield	Lamar 4-H

BEEFMASTER

Champion Heifer	Katherine/Brooke Thomas	Taylorsville FFA
Reserve Champion Heifer	Brittany Housley	Forest-Scott FFA
Champion Bull	Clay Thrash	Scott 4-H
Reserve Champion Bull	Christopher Holifield	Amite 4-H

SIMBRAH

Champion Heifer	Alan Smith	Pearl River 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer	Jennifer House	Seminary FFA
Champion Bull	Jennifer House	Seminary FFA
Reserve Champion Bull	Jennifer House	Seminary FFA

CHAROLAIS

Champion Heifer	Sarah Johnson	Hancock 4-H
Reserve Champion Heifer	Anna Marie Poppelreiter	Lee 4-H
Champion Bull	Brooke Ladner	Hancock 4-H
Reserve Champion Bull	Martin Evans	Tallahatchie 4-H

COMMERCIAL BEEF HEIFERS**ENGLISH AND ENGLISH CROSSES**

Champion	Keith Lowry	Tippah 4-H
Reserve Champion	Brandi/Daniel Nicholson	Seminary FFA

EUROPEAN AND EUROPEAN CROSSES

Champion	Priscilla/Maury Giachelli	Union 4-H
Reserve Champion	Kristen/Joshua/Le'Anne Boyles	Forest-Scott FFA

BRAHMAN AND BRAHMAN CROSSES

Champion	Matthew Hart	Lincoln 4-H
Reserve Champion	Brittany Housley	Forest-Scott FFA

SUPREME CHAMPION

Keith Lowry Tippah 4-H

RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

Priscilla/Maury Giachelli Union 4-H

BEEF SHOWMANSHIP

(488 Exhibitors)

Age 8		Age 9	
1. Megan Donahoe	Sunflower 4-H	1. Stephen Harris	Pearl River 4-H
2. Nicole Jones	Smith 4-H	2. Tyler Hannis	Copiah 4-H
3. Regan Creel	Lauderdale 4-H	3. Dillon Ladner	Hancock 4-H
4. Derren Brister	Lincoln 4-H	4. Jake Ladner	Hancock 4-H
5. Jerri Clanton	Franklin 4-H	5. Christine Ladner	Pearl River 4-H
6. Dustin Barton	Smith 4-H	6. Wes Herrington	Jones 4-H
7. Candice Killebrew	Hinds 4-H	7. Cody Dimberg	Tallahatchie 4-H
8. Abby Moreno	Greene 4-H	8. Kayla Robinson	Smith 4-H
9. Daniel Gaines	S Panola FFA	9. Shane Overby	Smith 4-H
10. Ashley Johnson	Tate 4-H	10. Kimberlea Strickland	Smith 4-H

Age 10		Age 11	
1. Alan Smith	Pearl River 4-H	1. Trey Donahoe	Sunflower 4-H
2. Ryan Cowart	Franklin 4-H	2. Hannah Smith	Pearl River 4-H
3. Kelby King	Jasper 4-H	3. Kyle Tally	Smith 4-H
4. Ashleigh Casico	Seminary FFA	4. Chelsea Adams	Marion 4-H
5. Drew Hedgepeth	Pearl River 4-H	5. Amanda Hoda	Hancock 4-H
6. Jennifer Newcomb	Panola 4-H	6. Sydney Haley	Lincoln 4-H
7. Ethan Hodges	Greene 4-H	7. Melissa McFarland	Franklin 4-H
8. Colby Hardin	Lafayette 4-H/FFA	8. Logan Powell	Simpson 4-H
9. Brooke Ladner	Hancock 4-H	9. Kahlea Strickland	Smith 4-H
10. Maegan Bolton	S Panola FFA	10. J. J. Smith	Simpson 4-H

Age 12		Age 13	
1. Bridgette Anderson	Smith 4-H	1. Laura Sykes	Mendenhall FFA
2. Brittany Anderson	Smith 4-H	2. Peyton Lee	Hancock 4-H
3. Kordarian Whitfield	Madison 4-H	3. Rebecca Boatner	Yazoo 4-H
4. Zachery Brower	Calhoun 4-H	4. Brittany Spiers	Hancock 4-H
5. Lillian Rogers	Forrest 4-H	5. Anna Newcomb	Panola 4-H
6. Tiffany Clark	Seminary FFA	6. Trey Hebert	Lincoln 4-H
7. Josh Warren	Mendenhall FFA	7. Emma Collins	Forest-Scott FFA
8. A. J. Dillard	Lee 4-H	8. Jake Thames	Lawrence 4-H
9. Melissa Easley	Pike 4-H	9. Garrett Ratcliff	Pike 4-H
10. Jodi Hartfield	Lamar 4-H	10. Brian Nicholson	Seminary FFA

Age 14		Age 15	
1. Kason Fizpatrick	Pearl River 4-H	1. Hannah Davis	Pearl River 4-H
2. Corey Ladner	Pearl River 4-H	2. Holly Ann Nix	NE Jones FFA
3. Ty Herrington	Jones 4-H	3. Betsy Haley	Lincoln 4-H
4. Alley Jones	Taylorville FFA	4. Christy Nicholson	Seminary FFA
5. Britt Magee	Simpson 4-H	5. Kully Woodruff	Jasper 4-H
6. Ronni Davis	Pearl River 4-H	6. Brandi Nicholson	Seminary FFA
7. Mandy Woods	Seminary FFA	7. Jennifer House	Seminary FFA
8. Kayla Gunn	Tippah 4-H	8. Grant McDonnieal	Lincoln 4-H
9. Jena Dimberg	Tallahatchie 4-H	9. Carrie Dillon	Yazoo 4-H
10. David Glenn	Taylorville FFA	10. Kristen Holland	Franklin FFA

Age 16		Age 17	
1. Ben Melton	Neshoba 4-H	1. Daniel Nicholson	Seminary FFA
2. Curt Williams	NE Jones FFA	2. Trey Gunn	Tippah 4-H
3. Justin Ainsworth	Smith 4-H	3. Meredith McCurdy	S Panola FFA
4. Scarlett Nabours	Pearl River 4-H	4. B. J. Dickens	Lamar 4-H
5. Cody Hardin	Lafayette 4-H/FFA	5. Greg Landry	Marion 4-H
6. Nicole Barbee	S Panola FFA	6. Crystal Palmer	Tippah 4-H
7. Alanna Manning	S Panola FFA	7. Anna Williamson	Union 4-H
8. Anthony Franks	Mantachie FFA	8. Todd Sullivan	Mendenhall FFA
9. Laura Lucky	Lauderdale 4-H	9. Leigh Smith	Mendenhall FFA
10. Brandon Cutrer	Pearl River 4-H	10. Sara Gowan	Attala 4-H

Age 18	
1. Jennifer Wigginton	Alcorn 4-H
2. Priscilla Giachelli	Union 4-H
3. Stacey Brown	Carroll 4-H
4. Michael Jones	Taylorville FFA
5. Peyton Langston	Yalobusha 4-H
6. Courtney Dickey	Lincoln 4-H

► **HERDSMEN'S AWARDS** – Junior Beef Division

1. Pike 4-H
2. Pearl River 4-H
3. Mendenhall FFA

STEERS**PROSPECT STEERS**

Champion English and English Crosses
 Reserve Champion English and English Crosses
 Champion European and European Crosses
 Reserve Champion European and European Crosses
 Champion Brahman and Brahman Crosses
 Reserve Champion Brahman and Brahman Crosses

Grand Champion Prospect Steer**Reserve Champion Prospect Steer**

Brittany Anderson, Smith 4-H
 Kevin Strickland, Carthage FFA
 Cassie/Jake St. Amant, Lincoln 4-H
 Megan/Jonathan Phillips, Jasper 4-H
 Taylor Reeves, Leake 4-H
 Kevin Patrick, Hinds 4-H
 Cassie/Jake St. Amant, Lincoln 4-H
 Brittany Anderson, Smith 4-H

PROGRESS STEERS

Champion English and English Crosses
 Reserve Champion English and English Crosses
 Champion European and European Crosses
 Reserve Champion European and European Crosses
 Champion Brahman and Brahman Crosses
 Reserve Champion Brahman and Brahman Crosses

Grand Champion Market Steer**Reserve Champion Market Steer**

Justin Kirkland, Seminary FFA
 Joey/Alex Sullivan, Smith 4-H
 Kully/Joshua Woodruff, Jasper 4-H
 Megan/Jonathan Phillips, Jasper 4-H
 Caleb/Megan Gable, Smith 4-H
 Kaylon/Clay Touchstone, Lamar 4-H
 Kully/Joshua Woodruff, Jasper 4-H
 Megan/Jonathan Phillips, Jasper 4-H

LAMBS**OXFORD**

Champion
 Reserve Champion
 State Bred Champion
 Res. State Bred Champion

Trey/Jason McCaffrey
 Cody Britt
 Trey/Jason McCaffrey
 Brittney Chesnut

Rankin 4-H
 Sunflower 4-H
 Rankin 4-H
 Scott 4-H

SHROPSHIRE & OTHER BREEDS

Champion
 Reserve Champion
 State Bred Champion
 Res. State Bred Champion

Drew/Anna Beth Mayhugh
 Christopher/Christy McCloud
 Christopher/Christy McCloud
 Samantha/Holly Webb

Lawrence 4-H
 Lawrence 4-H
 Lawrence 4-H
 Scott 4-H

SUFFOLK

Champion
 Reserve Champion
 State Bred Champion
 Res. State Bred Champion

Lauren Dean
 Laura Ganzerla
 Lauren Dean
 T/L Henderson

Bolivar 4-H
 Hinds 4-H
 Bolivar 4-H
 Smith 4-H

CROSSBRED

Champion
 Reserve Champion
 State Bred Champion
 Res. State Bred Champion

Laura Ganzerla
 Drew/Anna Beth Mayhugh
 Drew/Anna Beth Mayhugh
 Colby/Marley Gill

Hinds 4-H
 Lawrence 4-H
 Lawrence 4-H
 Hinds 4-H

HAMPSHIRE

Champion
 Reserve Champion
 State Bred Champion
 Res. State Bred Champion

Samantha/Holly Webb
 Nicki/Jake Bramlett
 Nicki/Jake Bramlett
 Trey/Jason McCaffrey

Scott 4-H
 Rankin 4-H
 Rankin 4-H
 Rankin 4-H

Grand Champion**Reserve Grand Champion****State Bred Grand Champion****State Bred Res. Grand Champion**

Samantha/Holly Webb
 Nicki/Jake Bramlett
 Nicki/Jake Bramlett
 Drew/Anna Beth Mayhugh

Scott 4-H
 Rankin 4-H
 Rankin 4-H
 Lawrence 4-H

SHEEP LEAD CLASS

(9 Exhibitors)

Ages 8-9		Ages 10-11	
1. Alex Gilreath	Smith 4-H	1. Elizabeth Griffin	Lawrence 4-H
2. Justin Banes	Itawamba 4-H	2. Mollie Ritchie	Lincoln 4-H
		3. Audrie Foster	Pontotoc 4-H

Ages 12-13		Ages 14-18	
1. Kimbra Smith	Lincoln 4-H	1. Priscilla Giachelli	Union 4-H
		2. Johnathan Gregory	Pontotoc 4-H
		3. Brittany Chesnut	Scott 4-H

LAMB SHOWMANSHIP

(84 Exhibitors)

Age 8		Age 9	
1. Alex Gilreath	Smith 4-H	1. Cy Carter	Scott 4-H
2. Alexis Overby	Smith 4-H	2. Katherine Robertson	Rankin 4-H
3. Pate DeMuth	Hinds 4-H	3. Jake Frasier	Leake 4-H
4. Marly Gill	Hinds 4-H	4. Dansby Purvis	Humphreys 4-H
5. Lauren DeMuth	Hinds 4-H	5. Wesly Tullos	Hinds 4-H
6. Dani Tate	Holmes 4-H	6. Brian Layton	Simpson 4-H
7. Justin Banes	Itawamba 4-H	7. Catherine Moore	Leake 4-H
		8. Cody Maxey	Sunflower 4-H
		9. Jake Sims	Smith 4-H
		10. Marley McCardle	Copiah 4-H

Age 10		Age 11	
1. Jack Payne	Jasper 4-H	1. Wes Gill	Pike 4-H
2. Elizabeth Griffin	Lawrence 4-H	2. Mollie Ritchie	Lincoln 4-H
3. Cody Britt	Sunflower 4-H	3. Gray Higgenbotham	Leflore 4-H
4. Emily Poppelreiter	Lee 4-H	4. Hollie Whittington	Copiah 4-H
5. Christopher Ganann	Leaker 4-H	5. Anna Claire Sykes	Sunflower 4-H
6. Kele Clairmont	Jones 4-H	6. Audrie Foster	Pontotoc 4-H
7. Colton Smith	Smith 4-H	7. Jessica O'Reilly	Holmes 4-H
8. Samantha Carter	Rankin 4-H		
9. Thomas Wagon	Jones 4-H		

Age 12		Age 13	
1. Kimbra Smith	Lincoln 4-h	1. Nicki Bramlett	Rankin 4-H
2. Holly Webb	Scott 4-H	2. Jason McCaffrey	Rankin 4-H
3. Justin Brown	Carroll 4-H	3. Kimberly Watson	Hinds 4-H
4. Jake Bramlett	Rankin 4-H	4. Lauren Henderson	Smith 4-H
5. Roxy Cooper	Leflore 4-H	5. Kayla Hardacre	Simpson 4-H
6. Amanda Layton	Simpson 4-H	6. Lauren Dean	Bolivar 4-H
7. Bonnie Tullos	Hinds 4-H	7. Suzanne Robertson	Rankin 4-H
8. Kyle Hardacre	Simpson 4-H	8. Anna Terrell Wilson	Yazoo 4-H
9. Colby Gill	Hinds 4-H	9. Ginger Golding	Carroll 4-H
10. Lindsay Maxey	Sunflower 4-H	10. Sienna Smith	Smith 4-H

Age 14		Age 15	
1. Katie Jo Vanderslice	Jasper 4-H	1. Samantha Webb	Scott 4-H
2. Birtney Chesnut	Scott 4-H	2. Drew Mayhugh	Lawrence 4-H
3. Blair Brewer	Hinds 4-H	3. Tripp Sumrall	Jones 4-H
4. Brandi Carter	Scott 4-H	4. Emily Irwin	Leflore 4-H
5. Gretchen Stubbs	Scott 4-H	5. Tye Henderson	Smith 4-H
6. Meredith Henderson	Leflore 4-H	6. Christopher McCloud	Lawrence 4-H
7. Kimberly Tullos	Hinds 4-H	7. Rachael Guelle	Simpson 4-H
8. Emily Hunt	Hinds 4-H		

Age 16		Ages 17-18	
1. Eden Pepper	Yazoo 4-H	1. Laura Ganzerla	Hinds 4-H
2. Joni Castle	Carroll 4-H	2. Sara Reid	Hinds 4-H
3. Trey McCaffrey	Rankin 4-H	3. Priscilla Giachelli	Union 4-H
4. Michelle Montgomery	Leflore 4-H	4. Johnathan Gregory	Pontotoc 4-H
5. Amanda Thomas	Lauderdale 4-H	5. Brooke Nichols	Yazoo 4-H

► **OUTSTANDING SHEPHERD AWARD**

1. Scott 4-H

SWINE SHOWMANSHIP

(44 Exhibitors)

Ages 8-10		Ages 11-13	
1. Taylor Scott	Monroe 4-H	1. Morgan Reeves	Clarke 4-H
2. Kelsey Long	Humphreys 4-H	2. Kara Hodges	Greene 4-H
3. Garrett Dismukes	Montgomery 4-H	3. Michael Hession	Greene 4-H
4. Kelby King	Jasper 4-H	4. Chance Walley	Greene 4-H
5. Ethan Hodges	Greene 4-H	5. Kyle Mills	Montgomery 4-H
6. Channing Walley	Greene 4-H	6. Joshalyn Holloway	Copiah 4-H
7. Gerritt Gregg	Jasper 4-H		

Ages 14-18	
1. Bernard Robinson	Copiah 4-H
2. Ashley Long	Humphreys 4-H
3. Bailey Stewart	Webster 4-H
4. Larry Blackwell	Simpson 4-H
5. Katie Whittington	Copiah 4-H
6. Sammie Cawthorn	Copiah 4-H
7. Kesh Killingsworth	Copiah 4-H

MARKET SWINE

Champion Lightweight
Res. Champion Lightweight
MS Bred Champion
MS Bred Reserve Champion

Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H
Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H
Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H
Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H

Champion Middleweight
Res. Champion Middleweight
MS Bred Champion
MS Bred Reserve Champion

Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H
Gerritt/Michael Gregg, Jasper 4-H
Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H
Bailey/Cheyenne Stewart, Webster 4-H

Champion Heavyweight
Res. Champion Heavyweight
MS Bred Champion
MS Bred Reserve Champion

Marlee Cameron, Forrest 4-H
Tyler Cameron, Forrest 4-H
Marlee Cameron, Forrest 4-H
Tyler Cameron, Forrest 4-H

Grand Champion
Res. Grand Champion
MS Bred Grand Champion
MS Bred Reserve Grand Champion

Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H
Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H
Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H
Ashley/Kelsey Long, Humphreys 4-H

DAIRY SHOWMANSHIP
(79 Exhibitors)

Ages 8-9		Ages 10-11	
1. Alexis Wallace	Pike 4-H	1. Breanna Ladner	Tate 4-H
2. Marley McCardle	Copiah 4-H	2. Alan Smith	Pearl River 4-H
3. Cody Ladner	Tate 4-H	3. Sarah Robinson	Rankin 4-H
4. Jace Conerly	Walthall 4-H	4. Paige Nicholson	Newton 4-H
5. William Kazery	Hinds 4-H	5. Meagan Holcomb	Pontotoc 4-H
Ages 12-13		Ages 14-15	
1. Samantha McCardle	Copiah 4-H	1. Newman Kazery	Hinds 4-H
2. Carl Gregory	Pontotoc 4-H	2. Clint Ladner	Tate 4-H
3. Patrick Montgomery	Pontotoc 4-H	3. Amber Crawford	Walthall 4-H
4. Ryan Taylor	Tate 4-H	4. Scott Farmer	Lincoln 4-H
5. Julie Hartfield	Lamar 4-H	5. Joanna Whitten	Pontotoc 4-H

Ages 16-18	
1. Chase Nicholson	Newton 4-H
2. Chance Nicholson	Newton 4-H
3. Monique Huval	Lincoln 4-H
4. Jennifer Conerly	Walthall 4-H
5. Aaron Conerly	Walthall 4-H

DAIRY

AYRSHIRE

Junior Champion
Reserve Junior Champion
Senior Champion
Reserve Senior Champion
Grand Champion
Reserve Grand Champion

Olivia Frazier
Joanna Whitten
Olivia Frazier
Justin Moorman
Olivia Frazier
Justin Moorman

Lee 4-H
Pontotoc 4-H
Lee 4-H
Pontotoc 4-H
Lee 4-H
Pontotoc 4-H

BROWN SWISS

Junior Champion
Reserve Junior Champion
Senior Champion
Reserve Senior Champion
Grand Champion
Reserve Grand Champion

Taylor Barnett
Taylor Barnett
Meagan Holcomb
Carl Gregory
Meagan Holcomb
Carl Gregory

Chickasaw 4-H
Chickasaw 4-H
Pontotoc 4-H
Pontotoc 4-H
Pontotoc 4-H
Pontotoc 4-H

GUERNSEY

Junior Champion	Doug Anderson	Pontotoc 4-H
Reserve Junior Champion	Jade Garrett	Lee 4-H

HOLSTEIN

Junior Champion	Chase Nicholson	Newton 4-H
Reserve Junior Champion	Clint Ladner	Tate 4-H
Senior Champion	Chase Nicholson	Newton 4-H
Reserve Senior Champion	Paige Nicholson	Newton 4-H
Grand Champion	Chase Nicholson	Newton 4-H
Reserve Grand Champion	Paige Nicholson	Newton 4-H

JERSEY

Junior Champion	Newman Kazery	Hinds 4-H
Reserve Junior Champion	Justin Moorman	Pontotoc 4-H
Senior Champion	Alan Smith	Pearl River 4-H
Reserve Senior Champion	Brandi White	New Site FFA
Grand Champion	Alan Smith	Pearl River 4-H
Reserve Grand Champion	Brandi White	New Site FFA

JUNIOR COMMERCIAL DAIRY HEIFER SHOW

Grand Champion Heifer	Julie Hartfield	Lamar 4-H
Reserve Grand Champion Heifer	Hailey Chisolm	Neshoba 4-H

DAIRY CATTLE SWEETHEART CONTEST

Junior Sweetheart	Olivia Frazier	Lee 4-H
Senior Sweetheart	Monique Huval	Lincoln 4-H

DAIRY GOAT SWEETHEART CONTEST

Junior Sweetheart	Tori Willis	Tate 4-H
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PRETTY COW CONTEST

1. Alexis Wallace, Pike County
2. Taylor Barnett, Chickasaw County
3. Madison Hardin, Pontotoc County

COUNTY HERD

1. Prentiss Jerseys
2. Newton Holsteins
3. Tate Holsteins
4. Pontotoc Brown Swiss
5. Pontotoc Jerseys
6. Pontotoc Holsteins
7. Lee Jerseys
8. Lee Ayrshires

HERDSMEN'S AWARD – Junior Dairy Division

1. Lee 4-H
2. Pontotoc 4-H
3. Tate 4-H

► SENIOR STATE 4-H LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST RESULTS

We had an excellent Senior Livestock Judging Contest at the 2002 Mississippi State Fair. This event ran really smooth and I want to thank everyone who assisted with the contest. We had 33 contestants on 8 teams in the contest. Congratulations are in order to **Hinds A County** on winning the contest. They will represent Mississippi at the National Contest in Denver, CO, in January 2003. Top ten team placings and top ten individual placings are as follows:

◆ Teams	Score
1. Hinds A – Elaine Miller, Susan Guider, Meredith Guider, Laura Ganzerla	1265
2. Scott A – Daniel Herring, Samantha Webb, Clay Thrash	1211
3. Jasper – Jeremy Phillips, Nikki Thornton, Morgan Sims, Jonathan Phillips	1191
4. Union – Maury Giachelli, Luke Roberson, Priscilla Giachelli, Dana Malone	1151
5. Scott B – Brittney Chesnut, Jason McCaugh, Megan Westberry	1142
6. Smith – Josh Crumpton, Tye Henderson, Kelly Runnels	1079
7. Attala – Rebecca Oakes, Corey Maddox, Jonathan Massey, Justin McDaniel	1036
8. Pearl River – Ronni Smith, Corey Ladner, Cason Fitzpatrick	1033

◆ Individuals	Score	◆ Individual Reasons	Score
1. Elaine Miller, Hinds A	451	1. Elaine Miller, Hinds A	182
2. Daniel Herring, Scott A	429	2. Daniel Herring, Scott A	164
3. Jeremy Phillips, Jasper	421	3. Meredith Guider, Hinds A	163
4. Susan Guider, Hinds A	410	4. Susan Guider, Hinds A	163
5. Meredith Guider, Hinds A	404	5. Samantha Webb, Scott A	161
6. Nikki Thornton, Jasper	402	6. Brittany Chesnut, Scott B	154
7. Brittany Chesnut, Scott B	398	7. Jeremy Phillips, Jasper	154
8. Laura Ganzerla, Hinds A	396	8. Maury Giachelli, Union	150
9. Rebecca Oakes, Attala	396	9. Nikki Thornton, Jasper	144
10. Maury Giachelli, Union	394	10. Clay Thrash, Scott A	143

► **SENIOR STATE 4-H DAIRY JUDGING CONTEST RESULTS**

We had an excellent Senior Dairy Judging Contest at the 2002 Mississippi State Fair. I want to thank everyone who assisted in making this contest a success. I would like to encourage everyone to try to have contestants next year. Congratulations to **Pontotoc County** on winning the contest. Top two team placings and top eight individual placings are as follows:

◆ Teams	Score
1. Pontotoc – Doug Anderson, Nathan Stubblefield, K'Ann Dorris	785
2. Walthall – Aaron Conerly, Amber Crawford, Buddy Conerly	780

◆ Individuals	Score	◆ Individual Reasons	Score
1. Clint Ladner, Tate	298	1. Clint Ladner, Tate	68
2. Doug Anderson, Pontotoc	285	2. Aaron Conerly, Walthall	65
3. Aaron Conerly, Walthall	282	3. Doug Anderson, Pontotoc	64
4. Nathan Stubblefield, Pontotoc	262	4. Amber Crawford, Walthall	58
5. Amber Crawford, Walthall	255	5. Nathan Stubblefield, Pontotoc	53
6. Buddy Conerly, Walthall	243	6. K'Ann Dorris, Pontotoc	46
7. K'Ann Dorris, Pontotoc	238	7. Buddy Conerly	43
8. Newman Kazery, Hinds	193	8. Newman Kazery, Hinds	41

► **2002 PORK AND BEEF COOKOUT CONTEST WINNERS**

These contests gave us an opportunity to promote beef and pork, as well as an opportunity for the public to view our 4-H'ers in this contest. Winners are as follows:

◆ **Pork Chops** – 11 participants

Juniors

1. Justin Knight, Covington
2. Katherine Timm, Adams
3. Zack Crawford, Chickasaw

Seniors

1. Andrew Vanderford, Lafayette
2. Shauna Dickens, Covington
3. Jabari Brown, Madison

Overall Pork Chop Contest Winner – Justin Knight, Covington

◆ **Prestigious Steak Class** – 11 participants

Juniors

1. Lynice Higgins, Copiah
2. Maggie Hawthorn, Copiah
3. Jessica Buchanan, Holmes
4. Brandon Cooper, Holmes

Seniors

1. Brandi Nicholson, Covington
2. Sammie Cawthorn, Copiah
3. Zach Cawthorn, Copiah
4. Bernard Robinson, Copiah

◆ **Hamburger/Sandwich Class** – 6 participants

Juniors

1. Sam Handy, Madison
2. LaTavia Winding, Adams

Seniors

1. Josh Hinton, Copiah
2. Betsy Conger, Covington
3. Shondra Dottley, Carroll
4. Monica March, Holmes

◆ **Specialty Class** – 5 participants

Juniors

1. Alice Davis, Holmes
2. Ashley Knight, Covington

◆ **Less Expensive Steak Class** – 4 participants

Juniors

1. Corey Wince, Copiah
2. Sid Cawthorn, Copiah

Seniors

1. Seth Lloyd, Copiah
2. Samantha Wilkinson, Franklin
3. Casey Hurst, Carroll

Seniors

1. Kesh Killingworth, Copiah
2. Justin Hinton, Copiah

Sincerely yours,

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