

# GUADALUPE COUNTY HAY SHOW

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## GENERAL RULES

1. Entries for the Hay Show will be taken Friday, Sept. 9, from 4-6:30 p.m. and Saturday, Sept. 10, from 8 a.m.-noon at the Womens' Building, at the Guadalupe County Fairgrounds in Seguin. Samples will be sent to the Texas A&M Forage Testing Lab for chemical analysis. This is the reason samples are due one month ahead of the Fair. (All samples will become property of the Show).
2. This year all entry fees to cover the cost of chemical analysis testing will be paid by HAY SHOW SPONSOR.
3. Judging will be at 10 a.m., Friday, Oct. 7, at the Fairgrounds.
4. Entries must be selected from hay that is in complete bales (round or square), to be brought to the Fairgrounds for sampling and left for display until 4 p.m., Sunday Oct. 9.
5. Exhibitors will be limited to one entry of the same variety or kind in each class, but may enter any number of classes.
6. An entry will be disqualified if it contains an excessive amount of foreign material. This includes, but is not limited to, abusive plants. Presence of mold, rot, excessive mustiness, hardware such as wire, nails or other material dangerous to livestock, also may disqualify any entry. Judges decisions will be final.
7. Label each entry with the name of the exhibitor, address, type of hay and hay show class to be entered. An entry registered in the wrong class will be considered the exhibitor's error.
8. Ribbons will be awarded to the following classification groupings: 1. Blue - 85 pts. or above; 2. Red - 70-84 pts.; 3. White - 50-69 pts.; 4. None - Below 50 pts.; 5. Tri-color rosette for top of each class; 6. Grand and Reserve Champions as overall of show.
9. Written analysis results are given on each hay sample. No trophies or cash awards.

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### OFFICIAL CLASSIFICATION SCOREBOARD

Factor	Grass Hay	Legume Hay
1. Maturity	40	20
2. Texture (Size of stem & pliability)	20	10
3. Leafiness	10	35
4. Freedom from non-injurious foreign material	20	20
5. Color	10	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

A complete chemical analysis will be run on each sample and the results of the analysis will determine 50 percent of the total score. The other 50 percent of the total score will be determined by the visual appearance of the sample. Overall scores will be calculated by Standard Hay Show Rules.

Classes:

1. Coastal Bermudagrass; 2. Other Bermudagrass; 3. Other Perennial Grasses; 4. Mixed Grasses;
5. Summer Annual Grasses 6. Winter Annual Grasses; 7. Legumes and Legume-Grass Mixtures.

# LIVESTOCK GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

The following rules and regulations shall be followed by exhibitors as presented by the Board of Directors of the Guadalupe Agriculture & Livestock Fair.

1. The Fair will be open officially at 5 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 6. All exhibits in place by 11 a.m. Oct. 8, except when specified.
2. Entry forms must be received by specified deadlines. See department rules for more information.
3. Entry Fee must accompany application for space in Beef, Sheep. Space and pens will be assigned in the order received. (See Department Rules about amount.) Entries will not be accepted unless accompanied by entry fee.
4. Competition is welcome from all Texas exhibitors. All exhibitors must be familiar with the rules and regulations set forth herein.
5. Awards to be given in departments with competition. Competition shall be considered when three (3) or more animals of the same breed and sex are exhibited, except where specifically stated. When one or two of the breed and sex are entered, those animals will show in the "all other participating breeds class," except where specifically stated.
6. The Guadalupe Agriculture and Livestock Fair will exercise due care of all exhibits, but in no case will it be responsible for accidents or loss.
7. All premium money will be paid by voucher immediately after the judging is completed, except when specified. Vouchers will not be honored after closing date of the Fair. See Cattle Rules.
8. Aisles and stalls must be kept clean by the exhibitors.

Trash and litter shall be placed outside of barns at designated places. All bedding shall be cleaned and livestock in stalls or pens by 9 a.m. each day. Place refuse in dumpsters.

9. No bedding for sheep. No hay on shavings in cattle barn.
10. No lottery or gambling will be tolerated on the grounds.
11. Release of entries will be on or after Oct. 8 at 7:30 p.m., except by special permission of General Livestock Superintendent.
12. Animals exhibited must be of desirable breeding quality, but need not be registered. See Catalog Rules.
13. Exhibitors must have been the owner of sheep and goats for at least (60) days prior to the opening of the Fair.
14. All exhibitors of livestock must display a sign over their entry indicating the name of the owner and exhibitor. The Livestock Superintendent will designate location of all signs.
15. Awards are ordered on basis of entries made on or before Oct. 1.
16. Only First Prize winning animals are eligible to compete for Grand Championship honors.

The Guadalupe County Fair Association reserves to its Board of Directors the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and thereto otherwise arising out of or connected with an incident to the show and the right to add to or amend or subtract from these rules by 2/3 majority vote of elected Board of Directors. All exhibitors are expected to conduct themselves properly as they represent not only themselves, but their school, their organization and their parents.



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