



CHECKLIST FOR STILL ENTRIES

(Entomology, Floriculture, Horticulture, and Ag Panels)

Rev 41023

This is meant to be a checklist of important dates and activities to help you navigate AgFest...it is not a replacement for the official AgFest 2023 guidebook. Please make sure that you read and understand the rules and information contained in the guidebook as they govern the event and any information there will supersede this checklist.

General

Exhibitor Eligibility and Requirements

- Exhibitors younger than 9 years old may enter Entomology, Floriculture, Horticulture or Ag Panels.

January/February

- If you are 13 years of age or older and are interested in joining the Junior AgFest Committee, review the Committee Handbook and complete an application. Information can be found on the AgFest website under AgFest 2023. Meeting dates will be published on the website and through text alerts.

March

- March 15th - INDEPENDENT EXHIBITORS** - Independent exhibitors must turn in Parent/Exhibitor/AgFest agreement.

April

- April 15th - FARM TO FORK SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS** - due for graduating seniors or 1st year college students. Information and application can be found on the AgFest website when 2023 materials are available
- April 20th – May 9th - ONLINE ENTRIES THROUGH BLUE RIBBON** - complete your online entry through the Blue Ribbon online entry system. A link to the entry system will be published on the website once it opens. Here are some tips:
 - When creating your account – be sure that your **name is spelled correctly**, enter your **mailing address**, make sure it is correct and **includes Apt# or Space#**.
 - Include your leader or parent email address in the “Additional Email” space.
 - We do not need your SS#, enter 000-00-0000 when prompted.
 - When prompted for PREMISE, you can leave it blank.
 - When prompted to UPLOAD, you can ignore this. There is no need to upload anything as part of your entry.
 - If you are only entering Still exhibits, enter the word “STILLS” in the place of a YQCA number where requested.

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- Enter your appropriate Department/Division/Class
 - Entomology - Department 9, \$2.00 per Entry
 - Horticulture – Department 10, \$2.00 per Entry, Limit 2 Entries per Class
 - Floriculture – Department 11, \$2.00 per Entry, Limit 2 Entries per Class
- NOTE: If you wish to participate in the Floral Design Challenge, be sure to enter the contest in Blue Ribbon (Divisions 35, 36 and 37 according to age group in the Floriculture Department). Fee is \$20 to enter and entry must be made in Blue Ribbon. See guidebook for details.**
- Ag Panels – Department 13, \$5.00 per entry, Limit 1 Entry per class
- You will be charged a \$3 Processing Fee. If you have entered correctly, your entry fee will be more than \$3. (Example...\$2 entry fee for an entomology project + \$3 for processing = \$5)
- Before checking out, go to items/checkout, click on the green button PRINT/REVIEW RECEIPT. Use the printout to review your entries and make sure they are correct before completing the payment process.
- Also be sure to click the REVIEW FAIR RULES option and read the rules before completing your entry.
- Check your email for your entry – review that you are entered in the correct classes. If there is an issue send an email to agfestlvstck@gmail.com Print your email for verification that you animal was entered.

May

- **May 16th – June 1st - ORDER YOUR PARKING/RV SPACES** – Weekly Parking, Wall Parking and RV Spaces will be sold through the AgFest Website. If you do not purchase a weekly parking pass you will pay the daily parking fee at the gate. Wall Parking has limited spaces available. More information will be published on the website and the sales period approaches.
- **Month of May – AGRICULTURE EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION** – The Ag Ed Scholarship program is a great way for people or businesses to donate to your youth agriculture project(s). To be eligible to receive donations, you must submit an online application. Information about the Ag Ed Scholarship program can be found on the website under Get Involved, Sponsor an Exhibitor. Links to the online application will be published in May.

June

- **June 1st – June 10th – PREPARE YOUR PROJECT FOR AGFEST** – Review the guidebook for display requirements for your department
- **June 5th - PICK UP PARKING/RV PASSES** – RV and Parking passes purchased online will be available at the June 5th General Meeting
- **June 8th – 17th – AGFEST WEEK** – be sure to review relevant dates and times for the department you are entering.
 - **CHECK-IN** – June 10th from 8:00 to 10:00 AM in Building 2
 - **CLOSED JUDGING** – June 10th at 1:00 PM
 - **CHECK-OUT** – June 15th from 2:00 to 4:00 PM in Building 2. Exhibits not picked up in this time frame will be disposed of
 - **PREMIUMS** – Premiums will be issued during AgFest. When the Premiums are ready, we will announce on the speakers – and you will be able to pick them up at the Livestock Office. Please pick up all money before the auction on Saturday.