

CMR Supreme Livestock Showman Contest

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Rules:

1. Participation is open to any Grand Champion Senior Showman in the following Departments: Beef, Sheep, Goat, and Swine.
 - A. If the Grand Champion Senior Showman in a department declines or is not eligible, the next highest placing showman (starting with Reserve Grand Champion) may represent that species. Eligibility is limited to the Grand, Reserve, and Third overall senior showman.
 - B. If a contestant is Grand Champion Senior Showman in more than one species, the contestant must represent only one species. Representation will be determined randomly and Rule 1.A. would be in effect to determine a participant for the other species.
2. Animals to be used will be picked by the Supreme Livestock Showmanship Committee (Committee).
 - A. All animals must have been shown the same year and in each Department at the CMR Farm Show.
 - B. Breeding animals may be used but must be shown in the methods and standards of market animals for that species.
3. Animals of each species assigned to contestants will be done by lottery.
 - A. Animals of each species being assigned to contestants will be drawn prior to the competition.
 - B. Participants may not show any animal entered in their name during the current year CMR Farm Show.
 - C. Contestants will ONLY be able to speak to the owner. Practicing with animals is not allowed and will result in disqualification.
4. Judge(s) will only be evaluating showmanship abilities, not on the animal's presentation.
 - A. Animals that are being used in the Supreme Livestock Showmanship contest must be show-ready.
 - B. No fitting.
5. Scoring.
 - A. The score will be based on a point system.
 - B. The contestant with the LOWEST score will be selected as Grand and second lowest will be Reserve.
 - C. First place will be 1 point, second place 2 points, third place 3 points, fourth place 4 points, etc.
 - D. The three lowest scores will be used to determine the overall winner.
 - E. Tiebreakers will be determined using the total from all four scores.
 - F. In the event a tie still exists, the Judge will make a final determination of showmen placements.
- G. Winners.
 1. Contestants that are selected as Grand Supreme Livestock Showman will not be eligible to compete again.