Hogs of Hazzard

Rules and Guidelines

Saturday, December 12th, 2026

T.M. "Mort" Ewing Newton County Agricultural Center
120 FFA-FHA Camp Road
Covington, GA 30014

All entries must be completed online.

Registration Fee: $30.00 *per pig* (includes showmanship)
Pen Fee: $8 per pen

1. The show is open to 4-H **(including pre-club)** and FFA members.
2. All Georgia 4-H and FFA State Livestock Rules and Regulations will be followed.
    - Exception is you may register and exhibit up to five hogs whereas, at State you are allowed to register five hogs but only bring two.
3. All hogs must have a readable ear tag.
4. **Entry Fee: The entry fee per animal is $30.00**
    - Late entries will be charged an additional $10.00 if registered after November 28th, 2025.
5. **Pen Fee: Pen fee is $8.00 per pen**
    - 2 pig maximum per pen
    - Pen will have shavings at arrival
    - You may show off the trailer but will be first come, first serve for parking.
6. **Showmanship**:
    - Each exhibitor must show their own animal in showmanship. The animal must be entered in the show and owned by the exhibitor.
    - Showmanship classes will be done by grade level with division winners receiving belt buckles.
        - Divisions: Elementary, Middle, High
7. **Purebred Show**
    - Purebred gilts and barrows will be shown by breed (Yorkshire, Hampshire, Duroc, Berkshire, AOB).
    - A minimum of 5 entries must be received to make a Breed Show.
        - If less than 5 entries are received for a registered breed, those entries will be shown as AOB.
    - Registration papers must be in the exhibitor's name and presented at check-in.
    - Exhibitors must show their own hog in class. If the exhibitor has more than one hog in a class they can have another exhibitor show for them.
        - This must be cleared with show officials before showing.
    - Animals will be weighed and divided into classes by show officials based on Breed and Weight.
        - After the animal leaves the scales there will be no re-weighs.
    - There is no weight minimum. Weight maximum is 280 pounds.
    - Barrows and gilts will be shown together.
    - Judge's decision is final in all classes
8. **Market Hog Show**:
    - Exhibitors must show their own hog in class. If the exhibitor has more than one hog in a class they can have another exhibitor show for them.
        - This must be cleared with show officials before showing.
    - Animals will be weighed and divided into classes by show officials.
        - After the animal leaves the scales there will be no re-weighs.
    - There is no weight minimum. Weight maximum is 280 pounds.
    - Hogs will be shown lightest to heaviest
    - Barrows and gilts will be shown separately.
    - Judge's decision is final in all classes

9. **Payout and Prizes**
    - Amount of prize money will be based on entries.
    - Payouts will be for the following:
        - Showmanship: Payout for Top 3 in each class. Winners from each grade will come back for division drive. Winner of each division will receive a Belt Buckle.
        - Purebred Show: Top 3 individuals in each class, Banners will be given to Grand and Reserve in each Breed, Banner and Payout to Overall Grand and Reserve Purebred
        - Market Show: Top 3 individuals in each weight class, Banners will be given to Champion and Reserve Champion in Each Division, Banner and Payout to Overall Grand and Reserve Market Hog

10. Pens will be assigned by show committee prior to arrival.
    - Unapproved pen alterations are not allowed.
    - No more than 2 pigs in a pen.
11. A certificate of Veterinary Inspection is required with the individual identification.
12. The Newton County FFA Chapters reserve the right to review the rules and make changes if necessary. All decisions made by the Newton County FFA Chapters are final.
13. Absolutely no refunds will be given.
14. No dogs shall be allowed in the show arena or in the barn.
15. Weigh in will be Friday, December 11th, from 5:30-7:00pm and Saturday, December 12th from 7:00am- 8:15am
16. Barns will open Friday, December 11th from 5:00pm-8:00pm and 6:00am on Saturday, December 12th.
17. The show will start at 9:00am with Showmanship. Showmanship will start from 1st grade and under and go to 12th grade.
18. The Newton County Livestock Program accepts no responsibility nor assumes any risk for injury to the exhibitor or animal due to or resulting from participation in the Hogs of Hazzard Pig Show.

Show Schedule

- **Friday, December 11th, 2026**
    - **Barn Open from at 5:00pm- 8:00pm**
    - **Weigh-In from 5:30pm-7:00pm**
- **Saturday, December 12th, 2026**
    - **Barn Opens at 6:00am**
    - **Weigh-In from 7:00am-8:15am**
    - **Show Begins at 9:00am**
        - **Showmanship (1st and under and going to 12th grade)**
        - **Purebred Show**
        - **Market Hog Show**

Any Questions, contact:

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