

Rules & Regulations for the Three County Fair

1. The management reserves the right to amend or add to these rules at any time and reserves the sole final right to interpret all rules and regulations, and to decide all questions arising therefrom or in connection with the fair.
2. The superintendent will direct the arrangement of articles or animals in exhibitions in his or her department. He shall give such instructions to awarding judges or committees as will result in judicious action and decide all questions governing the department.
3. Each superintendent is charged with caring for and returning the entry book of his department with the awards on each article duly and properly entered and the signature of the judges in each entry book of the department which he or she places awards, as premiums cannot be paid unless this is done.
4. Any class having only one entry will receive prize money and ribbon according to the merit of the entry. When there are only two entries in any one class, both owned by the same exhibitor, ribbons and prize money will be given according to the merits of the exhibits.
5. Exhibitors may show in all classes but are limited to no more than one entry in any one - lot.
6. All entries to the Three County Livestock Show and Fair are free. See Livestock rules and regulations for details.
7. All property of every character entered for competition or display or any other purpose for being on the fairgrounds shall be subject to the control of the superintendent in charge, but in no case shall the Three County Livestock and Fair association or the secretary or any of its officers or members be held responsible for damage or injury of any character to such property while the same is on the fairgrounds, or at any other time.
8. No claim for injury of any person or property shall ever be asserted nor suit instituted or maintained against the Three County Livestock Show and Fair association, its officers, or their agents, on behalf of any person, firm or corporation, representatives, servants, or employees having license or privilege to exhibit on the fairgrounds or occupying any space thereon.
9. Any exhibit removed early (before stated date and time) will forfeit any cash premium won.
10. Exhibitors will be required to keep their space and stalls in a clean condition by removing all filth and litter and placing it in the designated places for such waste.
11. Premium checks will be issued by the Secretary-Treasurer of the Fair association.
12. The Three County Livestock Show, and Fair association will rent booths or space for political purposes during the fair, but politicking is restricted to the booth space. Commercial and service booths are approximately 8' x 8'.

Important Entry Dates and Times

- All family and consumer science exhibits must be entered between the times of 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Tuesday, September 2, 2025, and remain until Sunday, September 7 at 1:30 pm.
- Livestock and poultry will check in from 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm on Wednesday, September 3, 2025, and may be removed after 8:00 pm on Saturday, September 6, 2025.
- Rabbits will be entered prior to the rabbit show on Tuesday, September 2 and will be removed immediately following the show.

RULES FOR ENTRY IN THREE COUNTY FAIR ARE NOT NECESSARILY THE RULES FOR DISTRICT AND/OR STATE FAIR. IF YOU PLAN TO COMPETE ON THESE LEVELS, PLEASE CONTACT A FAIR OFFICIAL AND YOU WILL BE DIRECTED TO DISTRICT AND/OR STATE FAIR RULE.

DEPARTMENT 20

EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS

Call Reagan Blansett (870) 588-7575 by August 16 to reserve booth space. Booth size is 8 feet wide by 8 feet deep. You must provide your own table(s).

Lot 1. Open to Extension Homemaker Clubs

Lot 2. Open to any other organized adult group or club

Lot 3. Open to 4-H Clubs

Lot 4. Open to FFA or FCCLA Clubs

Lot 5. Open to any other organized youth group or club

EXHIBIT SCORECARD : This scorecard for judging educational exhibits was adopted for use in Arkansas in 1994.

COMPONENT

POINTS

1. Appropriateness of Theme

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- Education and/or Promotional Message
- Timely, Important, Practical
- Message Suited for Viewing Audience Presentation

2. Attracts Attention	10
• Attractive, catchy, easy to read, appropriate placing	
3. Design	20
• Good use of color, center of interest, unity and movement, contrast, balance, proportion and scale.	
4. Printed Visuals	10
• Appropriate size, appropriate placement, neat and easy to read • Message Accurate, Concise, and Simple. Only one subject covered, unnecessary material eliminated.	
5. Education / Promotional Effectiveness	20
• Increases knowledge, changes attitudes, creates a desire for involvement	
Perfect Score	100