2019 Market Lamb ShowMania Tift County Livestock Multipurpose Building - - - Tifton, Georgia September 7, 2019

- 1. Check-in is Saturday, September 7, 2019; 7:30 am 9:00am
 - a. Showmanship will begin at 10:00 am. (Youngest to Oldest)
 - b. **Sheep will show before Goats**
- 2. Open to all states.
- All animals will be shown as market animals and slick shorn.
- 4. Market Lamb classes are open to 4-H and FFA members (grades 1-12). There will NOT be a Pee Wee Showmanship Class.
- 5. This will be a GCLA points show.
- 6. All exhibitors must be in grades 1 12 as of August 1, 2019.
- 7. Exhibitors may enter and show up to 5 lambs.
- 8. Lambs must be shown by owner in weight and championship classes. If exhibitor has multiple animals in a class they can have another exhibitor help them show.
- Lambs will be weighed and divided into classes by show officials. Once animal leaves the scale no reweighs.
- 10. All lambs will be classified during check-in using the following categories:
 - a. Black Face This includes breeds such as Hampshire, Suffolk and their crosses
 - b. Naturals At least 50% of lambs fleece, excluding face and legs, must be dark fiber.
 - c. White/Speckle Face This includes white face wool breeds and crosses
- 11. Entries must be Wether or Ewe NO RAMS!
- 12. Entry forms due August 30th. Entry fee of \$25.00 per lamb must accompany entry forms.

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- P. O. Box 7548, Tifton, GA. 31793.
- 13. Forms must be postmarked by August 30th or a late fee of \$15 will be added.
- 14. If registered the day of the show price will be \$40 per animal. Cash.
- 15. The Show Committee will determine the number of classes based on the number of entries.
- 16. There will be limited space in the livestock barn for stalling of animals, which will be on a first come, first serve basis. **You are responsible for your own bedding**. Due to limited space, **trailer**

- **stalling is allowed**. Once lambs have been checked in no animals are allowed to leave the premises. Any animals leaving premises will be disqualified.
- 17. Lambs must have milk teeth. The Committee suggests that the show lambs be born after January 1, 2019. Lambs showing either or both of the first pair of permanent incisors will not be eligible to show. The committee has the right to mouth any lamb that may appear to be past the suggested age requirement.
- 18. All entries must have an ear tag and must be identified with USDA approved individual animal identification to the flock of origin (scrapie tag). The ear tag is for identification purposes and does not have to be an official state tag.
- 19. The following statement must be recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection for all lambs including wethers: "To the best of my knowledge, the animals being exhibited are free from any clinical signs consistent with those of footrot, scabies, contagious ecthyma (soremouth), cutaneous fungal lesions, scrapie or any other infectious or contagious disease." Lambs may be inspected at the show facility for infectious and contagious diseases and those suspected of having disease will be removed from the show facility.
- 20. Showmanship: Exhibitors may have one lamb only in showmanship. The lamb shown must be owned by the exhibitor and entered in the show.
- 21. Payout: Money will be used for prize money after expenses are removed. Amount of prize money is based on entries.
- 22. Complaints must be in writing accompanied by a \$50 deposit. If the committee rules you have a legitimate complaint the \$50 will be returned if not, the \$50 deposit will be forfeited.
- 23. The Show Committee reserves the right to review the rules and make changes if necessary. All decisions made by the Show Committee are final.
- 24. No refunds will be given.
- 25. The barn will be open on Friday night for those who may travel from a distance.
- 26. Tift County Multipurpose Livestock Building is located behind the Tift County Extension Office at 1468 Carpenter Road, South. (229) 391 7980 Office
- 27. Map to Tift County Extension Office