

About the East Texas Show Star Series:

The East Texas Show Star Series Clinic and Prospect Shows are intended to provide an educational opportunity for 4-H and FFA members participating in the livestock project areas. The main purpose is to teach the basic principles of livestock management as they relate to facility maintenance, selection, nutrition, animal health, handling, showmanship, and transportation.

“Quality Counts” programs are discussed to ensure the safe and legal use of drugs or medications to facilitate the ethical care, development, and exhibition of livestock.

Beef Cattle:

Dr. Chris Boleman, Texas 4-H and Youth Development Program Leader, teaching Showmanship and Quality Counts.

Dr. Jason Cleere, Assistant Professor and Extension Beef Cattle Specialist, teaching Fitting and Grooming.

Greg Tucker, past Ag Science teacher, teaching Nutrition and Selection. Judging Ring B.

Sherman Jones, retired Ag Science Teacher, judging Showmanship Contest.

Tommy Phillips, County Extension Agent–4-H &YD, judging Ring A.

Goats/Lambs:

Billy Zanolini, County Extension Agent–Ag/NR, judging sheep and goats,

Tanner Morgan, teaching sheep and goats.

Dwight Callis, County Extension Agent–4-H & YD, teaching sheep and goats; judging Showmanship.

Marty Gibbs, County Extension Agent–Ag/NR, judging sheep and goats.

For Beef Cattle Classes, 5 head constitutes a breed. Exhibitor declares their own breed. Scales will be available and weigh your own steer. Steer classes will be broken by weight. Heifers will show by breed and by age, declare breed and age on entry form. Cattle should be weighed sometime on Saturday, October 31, 2009 with weight cards turned in prior to the Showmanship Contests on Saturday Evening.

Prizes, Buckles, Awards, Two Ring Prospect Shows: Must attend Saturday’s Clinic in order to enter the Sunday show rings. Must exhibit in Ring A in order to exhibit in Ring B. Ring B will have prizes and awards.

October 31- November 1, 2009
Nacogdoches County Exposition Center
3805 N.W. Stallings Drive
Nacogdoches, Texas