

Due to Covid-19, check in, weigh in and other rules listed below are subject to change. Up to date changes will be posted in the NC State Fair Livestock newsletter and the NC State Fair livestock Facebook page. Any such updates take precedence over statements in premium book.

012 JUNIOR MARKET BARROW

SUPERINTENDENT: RON HUGHES – Retired Agricultural Extension Agent

JUDGE: Lynsee Pullen - Walton, IN

CHECK IN: Pigs will be checked in Saturday, October 15 between 12:00 PM and 4:00 PM in the Kelley Building. Weigh cards will be turned in no later than 5:00 PM. Barrows must weigh between 230-290 pounds.

SHOW DATE: Showmanship - Saturday, October 15 at 5:00 PM in the Exposition Bldg (Information in Junior Showmanship, Division 102 and must be entered separately)

Junior Market Barrows - Sunday, October 16 at 2:00 PM in the Exposition Bldg.

RELEASE TIME: Barrows will be released after the show and pens are cleaned. To assist the clean out and sanitation crew, please remove your equipment and animals from the barn as quickly as possible.

SALE OF CHAMPIONS: Sunday, October 23, 2:00 PM. Graham Building

PARTICIPANTS: Exhibitors must be 18 years of age or younger as of January 1, 2022, and residents of the state of North Carolina. Exhibitors must be able to exhibit animal on their own without any help. The NC State Fair requires that each exhibitor (individual, firm, or herd) possess a valid current PQA or have completed YQCA prior to entry and follow PQA guidelines. Put your PQA number in the comment section online. If you have completed YQCA, put "completed YQCA" in the comment section online. Exhibitors under age 8 will show under parents PQA number.

COMPETITION:

Open to NC residents
18 years or younger as of
January 1, 2022.

ENTRY DEADLINE:

September 15, 2022
Online entries and payment
will be accepted beginning
August 1 at
www.ncstatefair.org

ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY

Entry Fee: \$10 per head

HEALTH REGULATIONS:

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Barrows must have at least 1/2 inch of hair. Barrows clipped with less than 1/2 inch of hair will not be allowed to show in the market classes. Junior exhibitors will be allowed to participate in showmanship.
No clipping after check in. No oil or powder may be used on the barrows.
2. To show in the purebred class, registration papers must be presented, with matching ear notches, at check in.
3. Junior Market Animal Exhibitors will need to comply with the following regarding where their project animals are housed: project animals must be housed near enough to the exhibitor to be cared for regularly by the exhibitor. Market and breeding animals should be housed at the same location. Housing location of project animals entered at the NC State Fair **should be the same location as other project animals exhibited by the junior participant throughout the year in county and other local and regional circuit shows. FFA chapter programs and 4-H clubs housing animals at one location can submit one form with names of all participants at that location listed.**

The Junior Market Barrow/Junior Breeding Gilt Showmanship Champion Contest can be found in Department 28, Section 102. You must enter showmanship before the entry deadline of September 15, 2022.

5. The Grand Champion, Reserve Grand Champion and Got to Be NC Grand Champion Jr. Market Barrows will be on display in an area designated by the Livestock Department. Premiums will be forfeited if animals are not kept in the designated display area.

6. Animal should be owned/possession as well as nominated and DNA submissions by July 15th

CLASSES: Classes will be determined after all animals are weighed with approximately 15 animals per class.

ENTRIES: Each exhibitor may exhibit a total of three barrows. No more than 2 in either a purebred or crossbred division. Jr Market Barrows must be in the possession and cared for by the exhibitor for 60 days prior to the show. Animals shown in the Jr Show, will NOT be allowed to show in the Open Show.

HEALTH: The health regulations of the Veterinary Division of the NCDA will be strictly enforced. **Be sure to read these under "Rules and Regulations of the Livestock Division" before entering.** Any questionable health problems will be referred to the livestock director and/or the State Veterinarian. Animals with obvious abscesses (opened or unopened), ringworm, sore mouth or any other contagious disease **WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN THE BARN.**

Weigh Back Guidelines

- Livestock will be allowed a variance around declared weight based on species
- The scale head will only be visible to the designated scale operator
- If an animal weighs outside of the allowed variance, the exhibitor will be given one opportunity to reweigh. The animal must exit the scale and immediately re enter the scale. If the animal weighs outside of the allowed variance a second time, the animal is disqualified
- Once an animal leaves the ring, there will be no reweighs
- The scale in the ring is the OFFICIAL scale. The official scale will be available to weigh livestock in the ring until 15 minutes prior to the start of the show. Scales in the barn can be used as reference but are not considered official.

Nomination Program Changes

In an effort to eliminate the need for families to have to travel to validation sites, as well as enhance the livestock projects they are involved with, the following changes have been implemented for the 2022 **Jr. ewes, market lambs, Jr. gilts., market barrows, Jr. does, and market goats shows.**

- It is the producer/breeder's responsibility to have Got to Be NC tags in qualified animals; they will need to be in the animal's ear when that animal is nominated (by July 15)
 - Exhibitors must request DNA/Tag kits by June 1st using the online request form that will be posted by April 15 here: <https://go.ncsu.edu/ncsfnomination>
 - DNA kits need to be requested for both Got to Be NC and non-Got to Be NC animals; kits will be sent out accordingly; you will need to specify how many of each you need when ordering the kits
 - Exhibitors will be responsible for validating through electronic nomination form, photo submission, AND DNA submission by July 15th. There will NOT be validation sites to take animals
 - Exhibitors will use the kits to collect a DNA sample from each animal being nominated (following the guidelines, videos, and instructional media that are posted here: [NC State Fair Junior Livestock Information | NC State Extension \(ncsu.edu\)](#))
 - Once collected, DNA kits are to be turned into any local N.C. Cooperative Extension Center by July 15th
 - Animals whose DNA samples and electronic nomination forms, and picture have not been submitted by July 15 may not be shown at the NC State Fair.
 - Completing the nomination process does not enter you in the State Fair, you must enter the State Fair online entry by Sept. 15th. Entries open online at www.ncstatefair.org on August 1st.
 - Exhibitors that are in the same household may share nominations on animals, not to exceed the maximum number allowed (i.e. 2 siblings nominating market lambs can nominate a maximum of 12)
 - FFA and 4-H program animals – will be allowed to be nominated under the FFA Chapter or Program/Club name
 - Each exhibitor is allowed to nominate up to 6 animals per species per gender (i.e., 6 market barrows and 6 gilts)
 - Please only request the actual number of DNA/Tag Kits that you will need
- NCDA staff, as well as local N.C. Cooperative Extension agents, are resources to call on should you have questions or need assistance in this process.

GOT TO BE NC AWARD

In 2016, the NC Born and Bred program began using the “Got to Be NC” slogan to recognize the award winning livestock originating in NC. In order for livestock to be eligible for the program, the animal exhibited must be conceived and born in NC. The producer of the animal must be a NC resident and a member of the “Got to Be NC” program. Livestock must be identified with an official “Got to Be NC” tag purchased by the producer before they are sold. All producers will be required to maintain records on their “Got to Be NC” tags placed in each animal. A copy of this record should be submitted to NCDA Livestock Marketing division by July 15th.

PREMIUMS

1st Place - \$75 2nd Place - \$70 3rd Place - \$65 4th Place - \$60 5th Place - \$55
6th Place - \$50 7th Place - \$45 8th Place - \$40 9th Place - \$35 10th Place - \$30
11th Place - \$30 12th Place - \$30 13th Place - \$30 14th Place - \$30 15th Place - \$30

Top two Got to Be NC tagged animals per class - \$5

SHOW ORDER:

Purebred Classes

Light weight division / Got to be NC
(230-250 lbs - approx. 15/class)
Medium weight division / Got to be NC
(251-270 lbs - approx. 15/class)
Heavy weight division / Got to be NC
(271-290 lbs - approx. 15/class)

Crossbred Classes

Light weight division / Got to be NC
(230-250 lbs - approx. 15/class)
Medium weight division / Got to be NC
(251-270 lbs - approx. 15/class)
Heavy weight division / Got to be NC
(271-290 lbs - approx. 15/class)

Champion Purebred

Reserve Champion Purebred
Champion Got to be NC Purebred
Reserve Champion Got to be NC Purebred
Possible 3rd Overall consideration

Champion Crossbred

Reserve Champion Crossbred
Champion Got to be NC Crossbred
Reserve Champion Got to be NC Crossbred
Possible 3rd Overall consideration

Grand Champion Jr Market Barrow

Reserve Grand Champion Jr Market Barrow **Grand**
Champion Got to be NC
Reserve Grand Champion Got to be NC Jr Market Barrow
3rd Overall

Division 101 – PUREBRED – Junior Market Barrow

Classes and divisions will be determined by weight with approximately 15 barrows per class.

Class:

01 – (230-290) Purebred on foot

Division Champions:

Light Weight (230-250)

Medium Weight (251-270)

Heavy Weight (271-290)

Got to Be NC Division Champions

Reserve Division Champions:

Light Weight (230-250)

Medium Weight (251-270)

Heavy Weight (271-290)

Got to Be NC Division Reserve Champions

CHAMPION PUREBRED

RESERVE PUREBRED

CHAMPION GOT to BE NC PUREBRED

RESERVE CHAMPION GOT to BE NC PUREBRED

Division 102 – CROSSBRED – Junior Market Barrow

Classes and divisions will be determined by weight with approximately 15 barrows per class.

Class:

01 – (230-290) Crossbred on foot

Division Champions:

Light Weight (230-250)

Medium Weight (251-270)

Heavy Weight (271-290)

Got to Be NC Division Champions

Reserve Division Champions

Light Weight (230-250)

Medium Weight (251-270)

Heavy Weight (271-290)

Got to Be NC Division Reserve Champions

CHAMPION CROSSBRED

RESERVE CHAMPION CROSSBRED

CHAMPION GOT to BE NC CROSSBRED

RESERVE CHAMPION GOT to BE NC CROSSBRED

GRAND CHAMPION

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION

3RD OVERALL

GRAND CHAMPION GOT TO BE NC

RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION GOT TO BE NC