JUNIOR BREEDING GILT
Dept 013

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CHECK IN: Weigh in will begin at 7:00 am on Thursday, October 15. Gilts must be in place by 3:00 pm, Thursday, October 15, 2020. Animals will be allowed to enter barns beginning 12:00 noon, Wednesday, October 14, after being inspected and passed by health officials. An inspection approval card will be issued prior to entering the barn. In 2020 all hogs may return home. Please designate at check-in your intentions.

SHOW DATE: Friday, October 16, 2020, 3:00 pm, at the Expo Building

RELEASE TIME: Released after the show. Packer sale is yet to be determined.

PARTICIPANTS: Exhibitors must be 21 years of age or younger as of January 1, 2020, and residents of the state of North Carolina. Exhibitors must be able to exhibit animal on their own without any help.

ENTRIES: Each exhibitor may exhibit a total of two gilts in possession and under the care of the exhibitor by August 1, 2020. 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, 2020.
RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. The show is open to purebred or crossbred gilts born after March 1, 2020 and crossbred gilts weighing up to 350 lbs. To show in the purebred class, registration papers must be presented, with matching ear notches, at check in.

3. No oil or powder to be used on gilts. Gilts must have at least 1/2 inch of hair. Gilts clipped with less than 1/2 inch of hair will not be allowed to show in the breeding classes or sold on the truck load. Junior exhibitors will be allowed to participate in showmanship just like the light or heavy disqualified animals. No clipping after check in.

4. Crossbred Classes will be broken based on weight and purebred classes based on age, followed by a championship drive. The Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion will compete for the Supreme and Reserve Supreme Champion Breeding Gilt against the Junior Breeding Gilt Show Champions.

5. 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 on the back of the entry form or in the comment section online. If you have completed YQCA, put “completed YQCA” on the back of the entry form or in the comment section online. Exhibitors under age 8 will show under parents PQA number.

6. Be sure to read the Health Regulations before entering. Except where noted, the general rules of the Fair and of the Livestock Department will apply and govern this Show.

PREMIUMS TO BE DETERMINED

SHOW ORDER:

Purebred Classes

Crossbred Classes

Champion Purebred
Reserve Champion Purebred
Got to be NC Purebred

Champion Crossbred
Reserve Champion Crossbred
Got to be NC Crossbred

Grand Champion Junior Breeding Gilt
Reserve Grand Champion Junior Mkt Barrow
Got to be NC Grand Champion
Section 101 – **PUREBRED** – Junior Breeding Gilt
Classes will be determined by age with no more than 15 gilts per class.

Class:
00301 – Purebred
CHAMPION PUREBRED
RESERVE CHAMPION PUREBRED
CHAMPION PUREBRED GOT TO BE NC GILT

Section 102 – **CROSSBRED** – Junior Breeding Gilt

Class:
00305 – Crossbred
CHAMPION CROSSBRED
RESERVE CHAMPION CROSSBRED
CHAMPION CROSSBRED GOT TO BE NC GILT
GRAND CHAMPION JUNIOR BREEDING GILT
RESERVE CHAMPION JUNIOR BREEDING GILT
GRAND CHAMPION GOT TO BE NC JUNIOR BREEDING GILT