

D8 4-H TAMU JUDGING CONTESTS

Meat Judging & Identification Contest Information

1. Objectives of the contest

- Learn to Identify and evaluate meat cuts of Beef, Swine, and Sheep
- Learn to critically evaluate meat cuts and defend this evaluation with written reasons
- Learn to work as a team in accomplishing shared goals

2. Class Descriptions & Contest Guidelines:

- <http://agriflife.org/4hmeat/texas-4-h-meat-judging-rules-guidelines/>

3. Contestants will bring with them to the contest:

- Hard hat
- Frock
- Clipboard
- Pencils

4. Awards

- The top three (3) teams and the top five (5) individuals in each age division in each contest will receive awards. Additional awards may be presented depending upon donor support.

COVID Protocols

All participants, volunteers, and extension personnel should follow all recommended COVID-19 protocols as set forth by the State of Texas, the county, and Texas A&M AgriLife. This includes, but is not limited to, face coverings, social distancing, etc.

In the event that COVID-19 restrictions alter the ability to host a “normal” contest, the first move will be to limit the face-to-face contest to Senior 4-H members, with a virtual contest option for our Junior/Intermediate students. In the event that no face-to-face contest will be available, a virtual contest will be offered for all students.