

# **JEFFERSON COUNTY PREMIER SHOWMAN CONTEST**

**Friday at 7:00 p.m. - Contestants meet in the Show Arena**

## Rules for the Show:

- 1 Judging will be done by a panel of judges.
- 2 To be eligible, you must be enrolled in the project in Jefferson County and must have been a champion showman for the Senior Division in the 4-H and FFA Junior shows in: beef, dairy, horse, sheep, goat, or swine. If the first place individual decides not to participate, the second place individual will become eligible.
- 3 All champion showmen show as one class for each species.
- 4 Where one member wins more than one champion showman award, they may select which species they want to show. The second place showman of the other species is then eligible to compete.
- 5 Contestants will show 10 minutes in each class or longer if the judges deem it necessary.
- 6 Members will be scored in the following area in each species:
  - A Personal appearance
  - B Knowledge of the species of which you were chosen champion by answering a question taken from the project material.
  - C Showmanship ability
  - D Courtesy, attitude, and sportsmanship
- 7 Show order will be: Horse, Sheep, Goats, Swine, Beef, Dairy
- 8 The Premier Showman Award will be presented to the overall winner.
- 9 In case of dispute or ties, the judge's decision will be final.
- 10 Showman cannot win more than two (2) years.
- 11 Showman will compete as of their age on January 1 when they must be at least 16 years old.
- 12 The Showmanship Committee will select the animals to be shown.
- 13 Participants will draw to determine the animal they will show.
- 14 Each Showman must confirm by 5:00 p.m. on show day with Livestock Office that they will be participating.